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Imperial Preference

Sir William Harcourt Brings Up Question of Grain Tax.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach Refers to the Premier's Coming Conference.

And Says Free Trade With the Colonies Is Worth Some Sacrifice.

London, June 9.—During the debate on the finance bill in the House of Commons today, the grain tax came in for much criticism. Sir William Vernon Harcourt, Liberal, demanded to know whether the government intended the tax as a war revenue measure pure and simple, or whether it was intended to be a lever to aid in the negotiations of preferential treaties with foreign countries.

The chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, replied that the grain tax was imposed for revenue only, but he absolutely, without prejudice to the discussion which would take place between the colonial premiers in London, and which he hoped would have a good effect in promoting free trade with the colonies, altogether disclaimed the interpretation that the Canadian premier, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, had put on the grain tax. He did not see why trade with the colonies should involve increased duties otherwise, but the speaker added: "If we could have free trade with the colonies, even some sacrifices in that direction might be made."

Whitelaw Reid, the special envoy of the United States to the coronation of King Edward, presented his credentials to the foreign secretary, Lord Lansdowne today.

THIRTEEN PERSONS BURNED TO DEATH

Many More Injured In a Chicago Private Hospital Fire.

Chicago, June 9.—Twelve men and one woman were killed and about 30 persons were injured in a fire, which, today destroyed the sanitarium conducted by the St. Luke's society, at the corner of Wabash avenue and 21st street. By far the greater portion of the patients received in the institution were those seeking cure from the drink habit, and those who had been addicted to the use of drugs. When the fire broke out, there was on the fifth floor a number of patients suffering from delirium tremens, and some who were deranged by drugs. Several of these were strapped to their beds, and it was found impossible to save them, so rapidly did the fire spread through the building.

The fire originated in the basement of the building, and spread rapidly to the upper stories, through the elevator shaft.

The cry of "fire" rang through the building, patients sprang from their beds and before they could be prevented several had jumped from the windows to the pavement. The fire department was on the scene within a few minutes, and as the windows were filled with people shrieking for help, the firemen devoted their first efforts to saving lives and allowed the fire to burn. While this was the means of saving a large number of people, who were carried down the ladders, by the firemen, it gave the fire such headway that there was almost no chance for those on the upper floors to make their escape, and those not suffocated were killed or injured by leaping from the windows.

A scene that wrought to the pitch of madness the great crowd that had gathered around the building, was enacted at a fourth story window on the north side. Across this window was a heavy wire screen, and on the outside of the screen were iron bars running parallel to the sill. The space between these bars was too small to allow the passage of even a small boy, and behind them were gathered a crowd of men whose numbers were afterwards found to be between 25 and 30. To escape in other directions was impossible, and the fire was eating its way toward the window at which the men were standing. The chance for life for that crowd of men lay through that screen and barred window. The men closest to the screen tore and tugged at it in vain efforts to tear it from its fastenings, and the men behind them fought madly to get close enough to the screen to fasten their fingers in it. So fiercely did the prisoners pull at the screen that from the street tiny streams of blood were seen trickling from their torn hands.

A number of the men at the window were in straight jackets and manacles, and not being able to help themselves, were the wildest of all in their frantic efforts to break through the bars.

That any escaped at all is owing to the work of W. E. Davis, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., a patient in the institution. He induced the men to cease their disconnected pulling at the screen and to unite their efforts. After a few successful pulls they managed to tear down a portion of the screen. The screen gone, but the bars remained, and they were heavy, placed there for the purpose of withstanding all the efforts of insane men, no matter how strong they might be. As many men as could place their hands on the lower bar took hold. It bent almost double, and six men went to the floor with a crash, holding on to the iron bar which they had torn from its holdings.

The first man through was Dr. A. C. Anderson, of Chicago. No ladders were in front of the window, and Anderson's one hope was to reach the platform of a fire escape of a window just west of where he was. He hesitated for an instant, then sprang for the fire escape, clutched it and was saved. The next man through was G. S. Gott, of Lavergne, Ills. Anderson was so much exhausted that he was not able to drag Gott after him, and Gott was so badly burned that he was not able to make the leap himself. He crouched on the window sill while the men on the inside clamored for him to jump. Clinton Osborne, a real estate dealer of New York, crawled out beside Gott, and told the men inside to grasp his feet. This they did, and telling Gott to hold his wrists and drop over the window sill. Osborne, hanging head downward, swung Gott to and fro until he had acquired sufficient momentum, and then swung him up on onto the landing of the fire escape, where Dr. Anderson seized and held him. Gott then formed a chain, Gott holding to the fire escape, and Anderson tightly held by Gott with one hand reaching out towards the window so that the men, one by one, as they crawled through were able to take one step on a ledge and make a short leap to the platform for the fire escape down which they made their way to the ground.

INSPECTING ROAD.

Railway Will Soon Be Operating Between Cascade and Carson.

Grand Forks, June 9.—(Special)—In accordance with the provisions of the Dominion Railway Act, the newly completed V. V. & E. railway between Cascade and Carson, B. C., forming as it does a link in the Great Northern system, was officially inspected today by H. F. Forrest, Dominion railway inspector. This is a proceeding preliminary to granting the company the power to run freight and passenger trains. A regular passenger service between Spokane and Republic, it is expected, will be inaugurated about July 1.

Casualties To Canadians

Several Who Have Died or Are Ill In Africa With Enteric Fever.

Clergue Works at the Soo Turning Out Steel Rails Steadily.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Ont., June 9.—Several cable messages from South Africa were received at the Militia department this afternoon, reporting casualties to Canadians.

J. J. Woodmare, of the Third C. M. R. died from fever on board the troopship Cestrian on June 3. His address is not known, as the nominal roll of the regiment is not yet in possession of the department. E. S. Banfield, Second C. M. R., died from enteric fever at Elandsfontein on June 5. He enlisted at Halifax. Clement Guest, William Bell and Harry Hyde, Second C. M. R., are dangerously ill of enteric fever at Elandsfontein. Guest enlisted at Rossland; Bell at Hamilton, and Hyde at Charlotte town. No. 66, Nelson Price, died from enteric fever June 8 at Klerksdorp. A cable says Price was a member of the Tenth Canadian Field Hospital company. The name of George O. Price, St. John, N. B., appears in the nominal roll of field hospital company. No. 66 is C. J. Seymour, of Halifax.

After argument of eminent counsel today, the Railway committee of the Privy Council, by consent of all parties, authorized the C. P. R. to run its transcontinental trains through the Central station in this city.

F. H. Clergue, Sault Ste. Marie, is in the city. He says his company is turning out steel rails at the rate of 500 tons a day.

An order has been passed placing refined cotton seed oil (edible) for canning fish, on the free list.

An order in council has been adopted admitting free of duty a statue in memory of the Prince Edward Islanders who fell in the South African campaign.

HARRY HUXTON MISSING.

Boat Floats Ashore and Friends Believe He Is Drowned.

Vancouver, B. C., June 9.—(Special.)—The friends of Harry Huxton, of Gambier Island, believe that he was drowned last Saturday between this city and Gambier Island. He started from here for his home Friday, and on Saturday evening his boat was found floating bottom up, and nothing has been heard of Huxton.

The World publishes a statement tonight that the steamer Dolphin was fined $1,000 on her last trip North for discharging tin for the Bell-Irving cannery near Ketchican, without reporting to the customs. Bonds were furnished, and the boat was released.

The Indians will produce their famous Passion play at North Vancouver this year, at the town of Mission across the harbor from Vancouver. The play will be produced on the last of the month, in a manner more elaborate than ever before, while the gathering of Indians will be larger, and no doubt as on similar previous occasions those desiring to witness the ceremony will come from all over the Coast.

LONDON FIRE.

Deaths Due to Inefficient Equipment of the Department.

London, June 9.—The inadequacy of the fire equipment of London has again been demonstrated by the fatalities which attended a comparatively small blaze in the centre of the city at a late hour this afternoon. The fire occurred in the upper portion of a five story building adjoining the Mansion House stationed in one of the busiest localities of London. The first extension ladders to arrive at the scene could not be elevated to the height of the fourth story, and inmates of the upper floors were compelled to jump down into a tarpaulin, which had been hastily taken by the firemen from a passing fruit van. Several of those who jumped were badly injured and others who refused to take this risk disappeared within the smoking windows.

Several hours elapsed before the casualties were ascertained. It was then found that three persons were dead and 15 injured, one probably fatally.

FIVE THOUSAND DOCTORS.

Immense Gathering of the Profession in Saratoga, New York.

Saratoga, N. Y., June 9.—Several organizations, connected with the American Medical Association are in session here. They include the Association of Life Insurance Examining Surgeons, the National Confederation State Medical, examining boards and licensing boards of the State Medical college, and U. S. Pension examiners. The American Academy of Medicine, which assembled Saturday continued its work today, and the American Medical association will begin its 43rd session tomorrow. It is expected that fully 5,000 physicians from all parts of the United States will attend the meetings of the American Medical association.

That tired, languid feeling and dull headache is very disagreeable. Take two of Carter's Little Liver Pills before retiring, and you will find relief. They never fail to do good.

Michel Is Fire Swept

Twenty-Four Houses In Little Town Destroyed and Fifty Families Homeless.

Some of Inmates Barely Escaped With Their Lives—Heavy Loss.

Australia Will Need Foodstuffs From Canada This Year—Ballot Stuffing.

Michel, B. C., June 9.—A disastrous fire here today destroyed 24 houses, leaving 50 families homeless, some barely escaping with their lives. The loss to the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company is about $50,000. Ten cars were also destroyed. The wind was blowing a hurricane from the East.

Winnipeg, June 9.—Mr. W. R. Macinnes, assistant freight traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific railway, has received advices from Mr. F. W. Jackson, manager of the Canadian-Australian steamship line, Sydney, Australia, that owing to the continued drought in Australia, there is likely to be an unprecedented demand for wheat, flour and other food stuffs at remunerative prices. Mr. Jackson will be very glad if those interested in this subject would keep him informed as to the conditions of the markets in this country for food stuffs, as merchants in Australia frequently ask him for such information, and if supplied him he would be in a position to assist them. Mr. Macinnes also stated that quite a few shipments had been booked for the steamers of the Canadian-Australian line from Vancouver, and that negotiations are in progress for an extra steamer either in July or August.

Montreal, June 9.—In the Court of King's Bench today, Arthur Brunet pleaded guilty to the charge of fraud in connection with the recent elections in St. James' division. Brunet bribed one of the representatives of Bergeron to permit stuffing the ballot boxes in favor of his uncle, and then attempted to clear himself by paying witnesses to disappear. Sentence will be pronounced tomorrow. Chief Justice Lacoste refused bail. A petition bearing a thousand signatures was presented praying for clemency.

Four men attacked and beat Mrs. Wilson, of Breboeuf street, into unconsciousness this morning and then robbed the house of $30.

Onion Lake, N. W. T., June 9.—Yesterday afternoon, while James Eufresne and Benjamin Patnaude, both aged 15 years, were out duck shooting, Dufresne accidentally shot Patnaude, the entire charge entering the unfortunate lad in the left side of the back. He was immediately taken home and Dr. Matheson called, but nothing could be done, and he died at midnight. Two years ago the same lad shot a brother of deceased, but he recovered.

Toronto, June 9.—(Special)—The Toronto Methodist conference this morning passed a resolution favoring the admission of women to church courts. The question came up on a resolution passed by the districts of Toronto West and Nipissing. The Toronto conference endorses these and forwards them to the general conference at Winnipeg.

The conference voted in favor of abolishing the Wesleyan Methodist college, Montreal.

ENGLISH TEAM WINS AT POLO

Beats United States in Second Match By Six Goals to One.

London, June 9.—The English team won the international polo match today by 6 goals to 1.

The game won by the Englishmen today was one of the most brilliant ever played at Hurlingham.

"The only thing we have to complain of," said Mr. Keene, after the game, "is that they beat us. There was nothing the matter with ourselves or with our ponies. We hope to give a better account of ourselves on June 14."

The English team seemed to take the ball down to the United States goal as they liked, and nothing but the superb defence of Waterbury, which was ever conspicuous, prevented them from making a still higher score.

The spectators were all at high tension when play began. The English stood on their chairs, yelled and cheered. Buckmaster was the special hero of the home crowd. He was accorded a great ovation when he rode off the field at the finish.

English hopes of winning the final game are now high, and there is no question that next Saturday's contest will draw out one of the greatest fashionable sporting crowds ever gathered at an annual contest here.

RECOUNTS.

So Far There Have Been No Changes in Seats.

Toronto, June 9.—(Special.)—So far the recounts have not changed the general election results. Menteith, Conservative, is confirmed in his seat for North Perth by 2 majority.

The West Huron recount ended today. The majority of Cameron (Liberal) was reduced by 2, making 21.

A BAD FALL.

Mr. Fred. Sherbourne's Son Falls from Hurricane Deck of Unican.

As the steamer Unican was docking at Sidney on Sunday evening, the little son of Mr. Fred. Sherbourne, contractor for the Crofton smelter, fell from the hurricane to the main deck of the steamer, striking on his head. It was thought at first that he must have been killed, and even after a casual examination by a physician it was feared that he had suffered concussion of the brain. It happily proved otherwise, and yesterday the little fellow was pronounced out of danger. The accident was caused through the steamer striking [illegible] dock with unusual force, [illegible]ping thrown [illegible]ar.

Keeping Faith With Public

What Is Being Done by Similkameen Valley Coal Company.

Are Now Purchasing and Operating Metalliferous Mines Near Ashnola.

Mr. D. R. Young, managing director of the Similkameen Valley Coal company, limited, arrived in the city on Sunday evening and registered at the Driard hotel. Asked yesterday by a representative of the Colonist as to what the company was doing at present, Mr. Young exhibited a photograph of the company's diamond drill in operation, and stated that two weeks ago the drill was down 137 feet, and had passed through two seams of special coal. Another photograph showed a substantial bridge which the company has built across the Similkameen river at Ashnola at their own cost. The photograph shows a strongly built and good-looking bridge. Continuing, Mr. Young said the company now had in operation a planing and saw mill, and all told were working 65 men. They are holding their stock firm at $1.10, and expect within 60 days to begin sinking a double compartment shaft and placing their machinery in operation at the coal mines, which is keeping faith with the public. At present Mr. Young is devoting much of his time to the Ashnola Smelting Syndicate, and has already purchased for the company under the advice of Mr. W. Blakemore, the mining engineer, several metalliferous properties, between two and three miles from Ashnola. He exhibited a very rich-looking piece of ore from one of these properties, the Copper Bluff, which was favorably mentioned in the report of the Minister of Mines in 1898. The properties are being purchased for cash, and tenders are being called for development work. Instructions have been given the men in charge of this work to send out a trial shipment of a ton of ore. This will have to be freighted 82 miles to Penticton, and thence to the Trail smelter. Mr. Young is positive that there will be a net profit after paying all charges, from the fact that the assays go to show that the oré runs from $41 to $258 in gold, silver and copper.

"I simply mention these facts," said Mr. Young, "to corroborate the statements that I have made as to the vast resources of the Similkameen district. We are going ahead with the development of our coal and metalliferous mines and will show the transportation companies that we have sufficient tonnage in sight to warrant the construction of railways.

LATE GEORGE KOENIG.

No Evidence to Show That He Committed Suicide.

Somenos, June 8.—(Special.)—Several of the daily papers state positively that the late Mr. Koenig of Shawnigan Lake hotel committed suicide. In consideration for the feelings of his widow and young children, the public ought to know that the following verdict was brought in: "We, the jurors empaneled to enquire into the death of George Koenig, of Shawnigan Lake, B. C., find that he was accidentally drowned while bathing in Shawnigan Lake."

The jurors were unanimous and unhesitating in arriving at their verdict, and the coroner quite agreed with their finding. Briefly, the evidence brought out the following facts: At times Mr. Koenig suffered excruciating pain from his illness, but on Thursday night he was feeling well and was in excellent spirits. It is true that a note was found which indicated an intention to end his sufferings, but this note was pushed away among some other papers as if forgotten, and but for a mere chance, might not have been found for days. It was undated, and bore evidence in its somewhat frayed and soiled condition of having been in existence for sometime, probably carried around in the pocket until quite overlooked. Against this very doubtful testimony of the note, there were the facts that Mr. Koenig bathed regularly, his clothes were placed on a log with his towel and soap beside them. The bathing ground slopes guadually for some distance, then shelves suddenly to a depth of about ten feet. It was in this deeper water that the body was found—upright, facing the shore, with arms extended, as if he had died in the effort to regain his footing. He could not swim. In view of these facts, most people will agree that the verdict was a reasonable, as well as a charitable, interpretation of the evidence.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Presbyterian Delegates Meet in Toronto Tomorrow Evening.

Toronto, June 9.—(Special)—The general assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada will open on Wednesday evening in Bloor street Presbyterian church. The first business transacted will be the election of a moderator. According to the practice of the church, the various presbyteries have submitted assembly nominations of ministers who they believe to be suitable for that high honor. The prevailing impression seems to be that the honor will fall upon Dr. Bryce, of Winnipeg. Several important matters will present themselves for the consideration of the assembly. Of much importance will be the election of a successor or successors to the late Dr. Robertson.

The home mission committee are asking the assembly to appoint two field secretaries, one to oversee work in Manitoba and the Northwest, and one to oversee the work in British Columbia, and in addition a general home mission secretary, whose headquarters would be in Eastern Canada. The names of Rev. D. G. McQueen, of Edmonton, and Rev. E. D. McLaren, of Vancouver, are mentioned for the posts of field secretary.

A RECORD.

Kron Prinz Wilhelm Makes Fast Atlantic Passage.

Plymouth, Eng., June 9.—The North German Lloyds steamer Kron Prinz Wilhelm, which sailed from New York on June 3, arrived here this afternoon after a passage of 5 days 11 hours and 32 minutes to Eddystone Light, at an average speed of 23.53 knots per hour, which is the best eastward record for speed thus far made across the Atlantic.

Many a man prides himself on having a mind of his own when it is just a fool's prejudice.—Chicago Record-Herald.

STILL COMING IN.

Twenty-Five Hundred Rifles Handed Over in Two Days.

London, June 9.—Lord Kitchener, in a despatch from Pretoria, under today's date, announced the surrender on Saturday and Sunday of 2,500 rifles, of which 443 were handed in by Cape Colony rebels. The remainder were principally from Gen. Dewet's men. The British commander added that the cheers given by the Boers for King Edward were hearty.

The suggestion that Lord Kitchener, with the connivance of the government, entered into a secret compact with the Boers to induce them to surrender, was denied by the government leader, A. J. Balfour, in the House of Commons today. Mr. Balfour declared that so far as the government was aware, no pledges and no assurances were given by Lord Kitchener, which had not been published.

The colonial secretary, Joseph Chamberlain, answering a question regarding the agitation on the suspension of the constitution of Cape Colony, said he had received a petition from 42 members of the parliament of Cape Colony in favor of its suspension, and had awaited the observations of the Cape ministry on the subject. An act of the Imperial parliament, he added, was required before the constitution could be suspended.

Bloemfontein, Orange River Colony, June 9.—A strong contrast to the good feeling existing between the Boer and British is the bitterness existing between the burghers who are surrendering under the peace terms and those Boers who surrendered during the campaign. When the Boer leaders came to Bloemfontein previous to the conclusion of peace, they curtly refused to shake hands with those who had previously surrendered. The general belief his that relations between those two classes will be bitter for a long time.

The Woodmen Of the World

Large Attendance at the Anniversary Service Held In Victoria Theatre.

Proceeds of Collection Devoted to Children's Ward of Jubilee Hospital.

The anniversary services of Victoria Camp, Woodmen of the World, held at the Victoria theatre on Sunday afternoon, were attended by about 800 people. The stage was fitted up to represent a valley amidst the forest, with the organ, loaned by the Hicks-Lovick company, surrounded by the trees, and above the settings was the log, the maul and dove—the insignia of the order.

The proceedings were begun with the singing of the Doxology, after which the hymn "O Praise Our God Today," was sung, and the choir were heard in an anthem, "I Will Give Thanks." The large choir was lead by Mr. Gideon Hicks and consisted of a number of local singers, assembled from various city choirs.

Rev. S. S. Osterhout, Ph. D., missionary at Port Simpson, read the first lesson from the 10th Chapter of Luke, and after the singing of the solo, "Jesus Lover of My Soul," by Mrs. Gideon Hicks, he read another lesson from the 25th Chapter of Matthew. Mr. Herbert Kent sang the well known solo" Oh Shining Light," and then Rev. Elliott S. Rowe delivered a sermon, taking for his text, Luke 10th chapter, 27th verse, "Thou shalt love thy God with all thy Heart."

The preacher instanced that in these words, the foundation of true religion was shown, which was love to God and love to man and on this fundamental principle all religions agreed. The parable of the Good Samaritan was quoted as an instance of the working of this principle, and the speaker said it was notable that the man in this story is a Samaritan who according to the Jewish belief was without the pale of the church, being unorthodox. The Priest and the Levite of the story were not the ideal citizens of Heaven as illustrated by Christ's condition, for the reason that they both ignored the claim of their fellow in distress. It was the fraternal organizations such as that whose anniversary was being celebrated, commented the speaker, and such institutions as the hospital towards whose benefit the funds collected were to be given, which instanced the religious principle of helping their fellows and loving God, and institutions like men are judged from a Christian standpoint by the treatment they accord to the man found by the roadside as was the man who had fallen among thieves. Fraternal societies were eulogized by the speaker, who in conclusion urged all to abandon theological differences and combine to promote all such contributions to well being and human happiness.

After the sermon the choir sang the anthem, "Sing Unto the Lord," and then a hymn, "Listen the Master Beseecheth," was sung and the benediction closed the ceremonies. The mayor and aldermen attended the gathering, occupying boxes, and the members of the Woodmen of the World with several members of the Women's Auxiliary and Daughters of Pity entered the hall in a body, the Woodmen having paraded from their hall. The receipts amounted to $73.25, and will go towards the children's ward fund of the Jubilee hospital, the Woodmen meeting all expenses in connection with the gathering.

WILL NOT SUBSCRIBE.

Vancouver Barroom Keepers Resent the Early Closing By-law.

Vancouver, June 9.—(Special)—The saloon men, from whom the greatest proportion of the Dominion Day celebration fund comes, have definitely refused to subscribe, owing to the action of the City council in passing the early closing by-law at a recent meeting.

The council passed a resolution tonight that unless the Carnegie library board conformed to the rules and regulations laid down by the council, they must resign forthwith. This action was the result of the library board's alleged endeavor to assume powers and prerogatives rightly belonging to the council in connection with funds sent by Mr. Carnegie for the construction of a library.

They make one feel as though life was worth living. Take one of Carter's Little Liver Pills after eating; it will relieve dyspepsia, aid digestion, give tone and vigor to the system.

Victoria Crew Is Selected

J. B. A. A. Men Who Are to Row In the Big Regatta at Nelson.

Sporting Events In the City and at Other Points.

The rowing committee of the J. B. A. A. met at the club house last night and picked the following crew to represent the association in the junior and senior four-oared races at the annual regatta of the Pacific Northwest association, which will be held at Nelson in July next:

W. Wilson, stroke; C. Kennedy, 3; H. Briggs, 2; L. Gill, bow.

These four oarsmen can be depended upon to worthily uphold the reputation of the J. B. A. A., whose rowing fame is continental. W. Wilson stroked the junior crew at Shawnigan Lake last year and also the victorious J. B. A. A. four at the Gorge on May 24. Possessing a very long reach, his stroke is a fine sweeping one, with great power behind it. C. Kennedy is a dark horse. H. Briggs rowed No. 2 in the J. B. A. A. crew on May 24. L. Gill was in the junior crew at Shawnigan Lake last year, and also rowed No. 3 in the J. B. A. A. crew in May. The weights of the men are as follows: W. Wilson, 174 pounds; C. Kennedy, 175 pounds; H. Briggs, 175 pounds; L. Gill, 172 pounds. The crew will row in the junior and senior four-oared events. There is a probability that Vancouver will hold a four-oared race on July 1, and the following J. B. A. A. crew was chosen last night to represent the club: W. H. Jesse, stroke; C. Marshall, H. Gartley, B. Pettingell.

FERNWOOD CLUB.

Satisfactory Progress Being Made in the Various Forms of Sport.

The Fernwood Young Men's club held a very successful cricket practice yesterday evening, after which a general meeting took place. The president, C. Banfield, occupied the chair. The resignation of H. McMillan, subscription clerk, was received and accepted with regret. J. A. Knight was unanimously elected to the vacant position. Encouraging reports were received from the lacrosse, baseball and cricket committees. The club will meet the Collegiate school in a cricket match at Beacon Hill on Saturday, and the Fernwood eleven will be chosen from the following players: P. Marchant (capt.), E. A. Gallop, R. B. King, J. A. Knight, A. Marconini, H. Shandley, H. Griffiths, A. Janion, Boorman, Reed, W. Peden, R. Peden, W. P. Marchant.

THE SECOND ELEVENS.

Scores of the Teams in the Match Played at Nanaimo.

Following are the scores in the Victoria and Nanaimo second eleven's match played at the Coal City on Saturday:

NANAIMO SECOND ELEVEN.

H. F. Owen c. Rodgers, b. Howe	28
Bagshawe run out	5
J. Calverley, jr., l.b.w. Hunter	7
Bowley c. Richardson, b. Hunter	5
A. P. Kilson b. Hunter	0
Cross c. Richardson, b. Hunter	1
Snowden not out	15
Waring c. Hunter, b. Howe	4
Windley run out	1
J. Teague b. Hurst	13
J. Calverley, sr., b. Monteith	13
Extras	7
Total	89

VICTORIA SECOND ELEVEN.

B. H. Hurst c. Calverley, sr., b. Owen	3
E. J. Howe c. Calverley, jr., b. Calverley, sr.	41
W. M. Gregson, b. Calverley, sr.	31
J. Anderson b. Kitson	0
P. Richardson c. Calverley, jr., b. Calverley, sr.	0
D. Hunter b. Kitson	2
R. G. Monteith b. Calverley sr.	1
L. B. Trimen b. Calverley	11
C. B. Deavillo c. Kitson, b. Calverley, sr	5
J. Rodgers c. Snowden, b. Kitson	1
L. B. Robertson not out	0
Extras	4
Total	99

TO SECURE GROUNDS.

Committee Appointed by the Victoria Cricket Club Last Evening.

Last evening, after the Victoria Cricket club committee meeting ended, a special general meeting was held to discuss ways and means as to the acquirement of a grounds by lease or otherwise. The meeting was called on the initiative of Mr. W. P. Gooch, and Mr. E. V. Bodwell, K. C., took the chair. Those interested assembled in the board room of the Victoria Terminal Railway company, thanks to be rendered to Mr. Anderson for the accommodation. The meeting was exceedingly well attended and went far to show that the interest in cricket in Victoria is not a flash in the pan.

After discussion a ground and also a finance committee were appointed with power to act. There is no doubt that the result will be satisfactory to all lovers of cricket viewing the promises given by prominent citizens. Hon. E. Dewdney, Messrs. Menzies, Binns, Carr-Hilton and R. H. Swinerton were elected after ballot as a Ground committee, and Messrs. J. Anderson, W. P. Gooch, E. J. Howe, P. Richardson and W. York as a Finance committee.

It is to be hoped their efforts will meet with success, and it is gratfying to state that there are no signs of decadence in the grand old game in Victoria.

CATFISH VS. BASS.

The Game Fish From the East Will Protect Their Spawn From the Catfish.

At the time that catfish were placed in Shawnigan Lake, a number were also placed in Langford lake, and as the latter lake is not fished, there must be millions of catfish in there now. The question has been asked whether they will interfere with the black bass, which were placed in the lake last year. Experts say this is not likely, as the black bass protect their spawn. They deposit it in gravel and then remain in the vicinity until the young are hatched. It is not known yet whether the bass are thriving in Florence and Langford lakes, but as soon as it is ascertained that they are, the Dominion government has promised to pass regulations to protect them.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

James Bay Lacrosse Team Organized and Now in Training.

At a recent meeting of the James Bay Intermediate Lacrosse club, the following officers were elected for the season: Captain, D. Schnoter; vice-captain, C. Whitelaw; secretary-treasurer, F. Ware. All members of the club are requested to turn out every night this week at the Caledonia grounds, in order to get into trim for the first league match, which will take place against Victoria West next Saturday.

SPORT NOTES.

The employees of the B. C. Electric Railway hold regular baseball practices at Beacon Hill, and are open for engagements with any amateurs, the Colonist baseball nine preferred.

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BORN.

BLAQUIERE—On May 31st, at 9 North Park street, the wife of E. J. Blaquiere, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

ACKERMAN—SCHROO—In this city, on May 27th, Carl E. Ackerman and Miss Mary Schroo, both formerly of Germany.

TRAWFORD—McGREGOR—At Nanaimo, B. C., on June 3rd, by Rev. D. Dunlop, Mr. Chas. J. Trawford, of the Wilson Hotel, and Miss Kate McGregor, daughter of the late Wm. McGregor.

JORAND—EDWARDS — At St. Paul's church, Sloean, B. C., on Monday, 9th June, Maude C. Edwards, to Henri Robert Jorand.

DIED.

ANDEAN—At Jubilee hospital, on the 8th inst., of paralysis, William Andean, a native of Cornwall, England, argonaut of California and Australia, pioneer of British Columbia, aged 70 years.

Funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30, from Odd Fellows hall, Douglas street.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The officers and members of Victoria Lodge No. 1, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at the Hall, Douglas street, at 2 o'clock p. m., on Wednesday next, the 11th instant, for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Brother Willliam Andean. Members of sister lodges and sojourning brothers are cordially invited to attend.

By order.

FRED DAVEY, Rec. and Fin. Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Vancouver Encampment No. 1, I. O. O. F., all members are desired to meet at the Hall, Douglas street, at 2 p. m., on the 11th inst., to attend the funeral of our late patriarch, William Andean.

By order.

A. GRAHAM, Scribe.

(Times Copy.)

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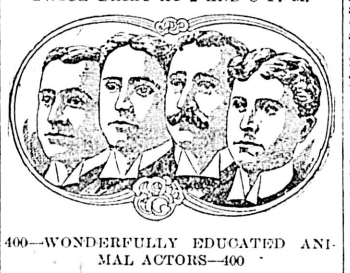
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HIGH WATER.

Assiniboine River Overflowed Its Banks and Bridges Are Endangered.

Winnipeg, June 9.—(Special)—The Assiniboine river north of Virden has risen to such a height in the last few days that the banks are overflowing and the lands that are low lying are covered with water. There is danger of all the bridges on the river going down the stream.

J. W. Fearon, bookkeeper of the Bar U. Ranch company, was killed in an accident at High River, Alberta, Saturday afternoon. He drove into High river for supplies, and when starting for home his horses took fright and ran away. Fearon was thrown out and instantly killed.

CANADA AND MEXICO.

Mexico City, June 9.—The department of foreign relations has received notice from the Mexico consul-general in Canada that the Canadian government has conceded a considerable reduction on the duty of coffee imported from this country. Coffees were formerly 10 cents a sack, and are now one cent. The Canadian government is showing a desire to promote direct trade with this country.

PASSENGERS.

Passengers per steamer Majestic from the Sound: H. B. Hiscock and wife, Miss Hiscock, H. A. Shopper, W. H. Olsen, G. H. Phelps and son, L. C. Schrimerhorn, D. Carmody, J. Hansen, Mrs. Warren, Capt. Lundin, E. H. Collier and wife, Mrs. Melville, Mrs. Clark, J. Johns, Dr. Fisher, Jno. Andrew and wife, Mr. Hume, C. M. Rodgers and wife, A. E. Kilpatrick.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. In Chambers before the Honorable Mr. Justice Martin, in the matter of the Bills of Sale Act and in the matter of a certain Bill of Sale by way of Mortgage or Trust Deed for securing an issue of debentures executed by The Rithet Proprietary Company Limited, Saturday, the 31st day of May, 1902. Upon the application of James Hill Lawson, one of the Mortgagees named in the Bill of Sale by Mortgage above mentioned, dated the 15th day of April, 1902, upon reading the affidavit of Alexander Scott Innes, sworn herein, on the 30th day of May, 1902, and filed the 31st day of May, 1902, and upon reading the order made herein by the Honorable Mr. Justice Irving on the 3rd day of May 1902, and entered in the Victoria Registry of this Court, on the 3rd day of May, 1902, and the affidavit of James Hill Lawson, sworn on the 3rd day of May, 1902, and mentioned in the said order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Irving. I do order that the time for registration of the said Bill of Sale by way of Mortgage be extended for two months from the time limited for the registration of said Bill of Sale by way of Mortgage under the Bills of Sale Act. And I do further order that a copy of this order be published for one week in the Victoria Daily Colonist. ARCHER MARTIN, J.

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Double Desks.
Size No. 4—300.
Size No. 2—60.
Double Rears.
Size No. 4—40.
Size No. 2—10.

The desks shall be of the most recently approved design. Sample of desk to be submitted to the Department.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank of Canada, payable to the undersigned, in the amount of one hundred and fifty ($150) dollars, which will be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the contract. Cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned upon signing of contract.

The Department is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

W. S. GORE, Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C. 6th June, 1902.

SUNDAY'S WIND STORM.

After riding a bicycle up town.
The day be fine,
The sky be blue,
The sun be shine,
The heat be hot,
The wind be blew,
The dust he got.

The street be dry,
The sea be wet,
The man he swear,
He wonders why,
The sea and street,
Can not be met.

—Ellee.

Apropos of the salt water sprinkling scheme.

TO INVESTORS.

There is a demand for several cottages at Mount Sicker. Good rents can be secured. For information apply to The Mount Sicker and British Columbia Development Co., Ltd., McGregor Block.

NOTICE

On and After Monday, June 2nd., all Repair Work

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No.....

A BY-LAW.

To raise $15,000 for the purpose of a site for the erection thereon of a Free Public Library.

WHEREAS, Mr. Andrew Carnegie has signified his intention of making to the City of Victoria a donation of $50,000 to enable the erection of a Free Public Library for the benefit of the citizens of the City of Victoria.

AND WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Victoria propose to purchase a site in the City of Victoria for the erection of such Free Library.

AND WHEREAS, a sum of $15,000 will be required for the purchase of the land requisite as the site of the Free Public Library, and it is desired by the Council of the corporation of the City of Victoria to raise such sum by way of loan upon the credit of the corporation of the City of Victoria.

AND WHEREAS, the whole ratable land and improvements or real property of the said corporation of the City of Victoria, according to the last revised assessment roll for the year 1901, was $14,090,490.

AND WHEREAS, the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying the debt which will be created hereunder and the interest thereon, and for creating an annual sinking fund for the years according to law is $698.25.

AND WHEREAS, it will require an annual rate of one-twentieth of one mill in the dollar for paying the debt and interest.

AND WHEREAS, this by-law may not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council;

Therefore the Municipal Council of the corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. The Municipal Council of the corporation of the City of Victoria is hereby empowered out of the moneys to be borrowed under the provisions of this by-law, to purchase and acquire and to hold as and for municipal purposes, a piece of land within the City of Victoria, suitable for the erection thereon of a Free Public Library, and thereon to erect with the moneys to be provided by the donation aforesaid a Free Public Library according to the plans and specifications to be approved by the Council.

2. It shall be lawful for the Council by resolution from time to time to appropriate and authorize the issuance of a warrant or warrants to pay, and for the treasurer to pay such sum or sums of money out of the municipal revenue for the then current year, not exceeding $5,000 in any year required for the purposes of the maintenance of such Free Public Library as may be from time to time recommended to the Council by the report of the library committee of the Council, such report bearing an endorsement by the City Auditor that the funds are on hand and are unappropriated and are available to meet the proposed expenditure.

3. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said corporation, by way of debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $15,000 currency or sterling money, at the rate of 4.86 2/3 dollars to the one pound sterling, and cause all sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the treasurer of the said corporation, for the purpose, and with the object hereinbefore recited:

4. It shall be lawful for the Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made, executed, and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $15,000, either in currency or sterling (at the rate aforesaid), each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1,000 or its sterling equivalent, at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

5. The said debentures shall bear date as of the date of the final passing of this by-law and shall be made payable in fifty years from said date, at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signatures to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

6. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at such a place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be expressed in the debenture and coupon.

7. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause the said debentures and interest coupons, either or both, to be made payable at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or in the Dominion of Canada, as may be desired.

8. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said corporation to dispose of the said debentures at a rate below par, and to authorize the treasurer to pay out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures, all expenses connected with the preparation and lithographing of the debentures and coupons, or any discount or commissions or other charges incidental to the sale of the said debentures.

9. If deemed advisable by the Mayor, there shall in the said debentures be reserved to the corporation the right upon any future consolidation of the debentures indebtedness of the city to substitute debentures of such consolidation secured upon the credit of the city generally. Such consolidated debentures shall contain the like covenants, conditions, and restrictions as are contained in the debentures issued in pursuance of this by-law and in each case debentures issued hereunder a clause conditioned for such substitution may be inserted.

10. For the purpose of raising annually the required sum for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency, there shall be raised annually the sum of $600.00, and for the purpose of creating the sinking fund aforesaid for the payment off of the debt at maturity there shall be raised annually the sum of $98.25.

11. For the purpose of the payment of the said sums in the next preceding paragraph mentioned there shall be raised and levied in each year a rate of one-twentieth of a mill in the dollar on all the ratable land and improvements in the City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

12. This by-law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said corporation in the manner provided for in the Municipal Clauses Act, and shall take effect as from the date of the final passing thereof.

13. This by-law may be cited as the "Public Library Loan By-Law, 1902."

Passed the Municipal Council on the 4th day of June, 1902.

NOTICE.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the municipality will be taken at the Public Market building, Cormorant street, on Monday the 23rd day of June, 1902, for the North, Central, and South Wards, that the polls will be kept between the hours of 8 a.m., and 4 p.m., and that Mr. W. W. Northcott has been appointed Returning Officer to take the said vote.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., June 5th, 1902

No.....

A BY-LAW.

To enable the Council of the corporation of the City of Victoria to accept a donation from Mr. Andrew Carnegie for the erection of a Free Public Library and to provide the means of maintaining the same out of the annual revenue of the City.

WHEREAS, Mr. Andrew Carnegie has signified his intention of making to the City of Victoria a donation of $50,000 to enable the erection of a Free Public Library for the benefit of the citizens of the City of Victoria.

AND WHEREAS, the Council of the corporation of the City of Victoria propose to erect such Public Library upon municipal lands in the City of Victoria.

AND WHEREAS, a sum of $5,000 will be required to be expended upon the maintenance of the said Library annually and it is essential to obtain the assent of the electors to such annual expenditure.

Now, therefore, the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. A Free Public Library shall, with the funds so donated by Mr. Andrew Carnegie as aforesaid, be erected upon one of the pieces of land belonging to the municipality, and according to plans and specifications to be approved by the Council.

2. There shall be established a Board of Library Commissioners composed of three persons, one of whom must be a member of the City Council. Such commissioners shall be appointed annually by resolution of the Council and shall act without remuneration, and the term of office of such commissioners shall expire at the same time as that of the Aldermen. Any two members of such Board shall constitute a quorum.

3. The duties of such Board of Library Commissioners shall be confined to advising with the Librarian as to the purchase of books, and generally the efficient maintenance of the said Library with a view to obtain the best results possible from the expenditure of the moneys hereby authorized to be paid and to reporting thereon to the Council.

4. It shall be lawful for the Council by resolution from time to time to appropriate and authorize the issuance of a warrant or warrants to pay and for the treasurer to pay such sum or sums of money out of the municipal revenue for the then current year not exceeding $5,000 in any year required for the puporses of the maintenance of such Free Public Library as may be from time to time recommended to the City Council by report of the Finance Committee of the Council, such report bearing an endorsement by the City Auditor that the funds are on hand and are unappropriated and are available to meet the proposed expenditure.

5. This by-law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the City of Victoria in the manner provided in the Municipal Clauses Act, and shall come into force as from the date of the final passing thereof.

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Victoria, B. C., June 6th, 1902.

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Along the Waterfront

Amur Back From Skagway—News of the River Steamers.

Kilmeny Back From the Halibut Grounds—Kate Thomas Arrives.

Steamer Amur reached port yesterday morning from Skagway with few passengers. According to news received by the C. P. R. steamer, the sternwheelers arriving up the river are bringing few passengers. The steamer White Horse, the first of the fleet to make the through trip from White Horse to Dawson after the opening of Lake Lebarge was quarantined as soon as she reached Dawson owing to the presence of smallpox on board. The steamer, which was to be tied up near Dawson for two weeks, had 200 passengers on board. A Frenchman who was alleged to have been a stowaway was the victim. The Yukon was very low, and the river steamers were having difficulty to get up to White Horse, some of them having landed their passengers at Lake Lebarge, whence they were transported to the head of the Yukon waterways where they boarded the train. The outward travel was very light though, and but three passengers arrived by the Amur.

The steamer Clifford Sifton had a narrow escape from being destroyed by fire before she started out from her winter quarters at Hootalinqua. The fire originated in an unknown manner, and destroyed the glory hole before it was extinguished.

Capt. Jack Williams of the White Pass & Yukon company had a narrow escape from being killed in the ice run after having fired a shot to dislodge the ice at Five Fingers. He was sent swirling down the river on a cake of ice, but fortunately managed to grasp a rock and spring into a niche whence he was hauled with a rope.

Fifteen scows had reached Dawson with 225 tons of freight. The steamer Sarah sailed from there on June 5th for Koyukuk and St. Michael, her Koyukuk passengers being transferred at the mouth of the river. The Dawson left White Horse on Wednesday last and the Canadian was to follow with 112 United States soldiers for Eagle City, among her passengers.

The steamer Amur went around to Esquimalt to be hauled out on the Marine Ways for repairs.

KATE THOMAS IN.

The Long Expected Merchantman Reaches the Royal Roads.

The British ship Kate Thomas which has been expected for some time past reached port late last night in tow of the Lorne, and will dock at the Outer wharf today. The Kate Thomas is 170 days from Liverpool, and brings a large general cargo, including heavy shipoplies of tin and salt for the canneries and steel rails for Vancouver. The tracks have been prepared for some two months past for these rails, which are needed for the extension of the system at the Terminal City, and the company has been getting extensions of time from the council from week to week. After discharging her cargo here and Vancouver, the Kate Thomas will proceed to Tacoma, whence she will carry a wheat cargo to England.

IN THE DOCK.

Collier Victoria Will Have Many New Plates Put in Her.

Steamer Victoria went into the dry dock at Esquimalt yesterday morning, and commenced discharging the coal from her forward hold. The Victoria will commence her repairs after the survey of the steamer by Capt. Fowler, Lloyd's surveyor, who is expected from Vancouver today. Her hull has been badly damaged, and some 15 or 16 new plates at least will, it is estimated, be needed to repair the injuries received by the steamer as a result of her contact with an uncharted rock on Friday last, and others will have to be straightened. The hull of the collier presents quite a crumpled appearance forward, with the large hole torn in the iron hull by the pinnacle of rock, and it is evident from the extent of the damages, that the steamer could not have remained long above water had it not been for her double bottom.

SALMON SHIP ARRIVES.

Beechdale Reaches London With Cargo of British Columbia Salmon.

The British ship Beechdale, one of the salmon fleet, arrived at London on Friday last from this port with 57,240 cases of salmon, with which she sailed from here on January 4, and made a passage of 153 days home. The Beechdale is the tenth of the salmon fleet to reach port, and now only the Bankburn, which sailed on February 18—15 days after her remains out. The Norwegian bark Andromeda, which sailed from Hastings Mills on March 14 for Iquique, arrived at her destination on June 2, with 879,020 feet of lumber from the Hastings Mills.

VISITING LAUNCH.

Gasoline Steamer Lucero of N. P. P. & N. Co., Visits Victoria.

The finely equipped gasoline launch Lucero, which belongs to Mr. Ainsworth of the North Pacific Packing & Navigation company, was in port yesterday afternoon for a couple of hours, she having arrived here to land Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Peck, one of the World's Fair commissioners and Dr. Lyall, of Port Townsend, who wished to spend some time looking over the scenic beauties of Victoria before continuing their pleasure tour. The Lucero started from Seattle on Saturday, and proceeded to Fairhaven, where Sunday was spent at the canneries in and around that port, and then a cruise was made through the San Juan islands to Victoria, the Lucero arriving here yesterday afternoon and tying up at the Enterprise wharf. The company on the Lucero included Mr. Ainsworth and wife, Messrs. Peters and Chapin, of Seattle, Ferdinand Peck and wife and Dr. Ryall, of Port Townsend, whither those who remained here will go after leaving Victoria.

FISHING SCHOONER RETURNS.

The Kilmeny Back From the Cape With Ten Tons of Halibut.

The little fishing schooner Kilmeny, Capt. Grauer, returned to port yesterday morning from another cruise to the North Pacific off Cape Flattery bringing with her ten tons of halibut, which were shipped East in boxes well provided with ice, on the steamer R. P. Rithet. The Kilmeny has been absent for a week, and pleasant weather was experienced throughout the cruise, and the dories had little difficulty in baiting and bringing in the halibut from the miles of line dangling deep in the waves off the Cape, for the halibut usually swim deeply.

The Kilmeny was moored alongside the R. P. Rithet for the greater part of yesterday, and the crew were hard at work preparing the cargo of fresh caught halibut for shipment. Capt. Grauer was in the hold at the hatch, shoveling up the ice, and slinging the halibut, while the mate hoisted the fish and with a sweep of his big knife slashed off the heads which waiting kloochmen gathered and piled up in their canoes by the hundreds, so that when the canoes reach home and the heads are split and sun dried there will be hiyu muck-a-muck on the reservation, and the old klootchmen will be able to potlatch fish heads to all their numerous tilikums. On the steamer three others filled the new-made boxes with the halibut and spread them over liberally with ice before others nailed down the lids and piled up the cases ready for shipment to the cold storage warehouse at New Westminster, whence the shipments are made to New York, Montreal, and the Eastern markets, which is always a good market for the halibut.

Capt. Grauer and his shipmates have made a number of trips now, but the weather has bothered them more or less heretofore, and the coach has averaged about six or seven tons, and yesterday's cargo is the largest they have yet brought in. The owners of the schooner George W. Prescott may possibly follow the example of the Kilmeny's owners and send their vessel to the Cape to fish for halibut, for it has not yet been decided whether the Prescott will go fishing or sealing. The Kilmeny sighted 15 or 16 fishing schooners from Seattle at work off the Cape.

ORIENTAL LINERS.

Kaga Maru Due Here Next Tuesday—Other Movements of the Large Steamers.

Steamer Kaga Maru of the Nippon-Yusen-Kaisha line, which sailed from Yokohama on June 3, and is due to arrive at the Outer wharf on Tuesday next is bringing 107 tons of local freight, and has 64 Chinese for Victoria. The steamer Tosa Maru, of this line, will sail outward for Yokohama on Tuesday next. Steamer Tacoma, of the Northern Pacific line will leave Yokohama on Friday for this port, and she is due here on the 28th. The steamer Glenogle, of the same line is due at Yokohama on Friday from this port. The Empress of China is to sail from Yokohama on the same day as the Tacoma for this port. The Empress of Japan will sail from here for the Orient on Monday next. The case arising out of the collision betwen the N.-Y.-K. steamer Shinano Maru and her on Tuesday last will probably be settled out of court.

BARODA AFLOAT.

British Ship Which Stranded on Oregon Coast Escapes Wreck.

The British ship Garoda, which was stranded on the ocean beach six miles below the Coquille river in August last, has been floated by the tugs Columbine and Astoria, of Gray's Harbor, and now is anchored at Marshfield, Oregon. The Baroda is damaged but very little, and is leaking less than many seagoing vessels. The sail and rigging are all on board, and she will be rigged and sailed to San Francisco in ballast, where she will go on dry dock for repairs of her bottom plates. Captain Burns and a crew of 10 men are aboard, and have the vessel painted and in good shape, her yards and topmast are on deck, but her standing rigging is intact.

The Glenmorrag and Protrimpus, which went ashore in similar manner to the Baroda not many miles from where she struck, were never floated and both have been given up. The Poltalloch, which was similarly stranded, was floated after several months, and came to Victoria for repairs.

TO CAPT. McLEOD.

Presentation at Skagway to the Amur's Master.

In company with a well filled purse, the following address was presented to Capt. McLeod on his arrival at Skagway:

Skagway, June 4, 1902.

To Capt. John McLeod:

Sir,—We, the undersigned passengers on board the steamer Amur, desire to express our appreciation of the high esteem in which you are held by reason of your efficiency and ability as a master and courtesy as a gentleman during this voyage from Vancouver, B. C., to Skagway, Alaska.

To say that the present trip has been one of pleasure does not express our feelings in the slightest degree, because we know full well that this route is one of danger beset with difficult navigation at every point.

The fact that you have been at your post of duty both night and day has given us that satisfaction which is only conducive of a feeling of profound safety.

To you, Captain McLeod, we wish every prosperity and success as a navigator, and sincerely trust that in whatever position you are placed that those with whom you are associated will appreciate your efforts as fully as we do at this present.

We beg to ask you to accept this small token of esteem and accompanying purse in the same spirit and goodwill herewith presented.

The address was signed by J. J. Rutledge and 26 others.

'FRISCO LINERS.

Steamer Umatilla Arrives From San Francisco and the Queen Sails South.

Steamer Umatilla reached port on Sunday morning from San Francisco, bringing 179 passengers, of whom 35 debarked at this port. She brought a good cargo, 1,600 tons in all, of which about a hundred tons was landed here, including big shipments of Californian fruits and vegetables for local dealers, wire for the electric railway, steel, rivets, etc., for local dealers, and miscellaneous freight. The steamer Queen sailed south bound on Sunday night, with 135 passengers, including 40 Japanese, who are bound to the orchards and vineyards of California. She had a cargo of 1,600 tons of general freight, including shipments of potatoes, hides, and merchandise from this port. The Umatilla lost her topmast before leaving San Francisco, as a result of fouling it with some coal bunkers there.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Tees was gaily decorated yesterday in honor of the wedding of the second steward, Mr. Chavasse, who was married yesterday afternoon at the Cathedral, his bride arriving shortly before the ceremony from England.

Steamer Boscowitz returned from Naas and way ports yesterday, following close behind the steamer Tees. She brought no news further than that received by the latter steamer, which arrived on Saturday.

The British steamer Wearside, 2,229 tons, Capt. Kiss, has been ordered from Junin to the Royal Roads.

British ship Lord Elgin is now 30 days out from Leith for Seattle.

British ship Ellen A. Read is being re-classed under inspection by Captain Mellon, of the Bureau Veritas, and she will make what repairs are considered necessary by the surveyors at Esquimalt.

The U. S. revenue cutter Perry, which sailed on June 3 from San Francisco for Seattle, returned there three days later in a leaking condition.

The British sloop-of-war Shearwater will leave next month on a patrolling cruise to the Behring Sea.

British bark Antiope, Murray, sailed from San Francisco on Friday for Ladysmith. The Glory of the Seas cleared the same day for the same destination.

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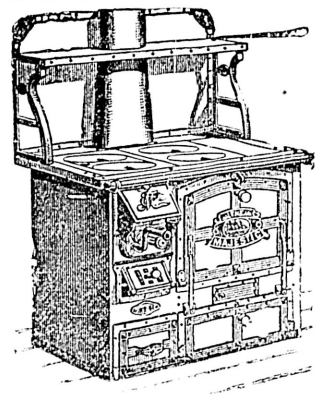
Correspondent Tells of a Plot Early in May.

London, June 8.—In a letter from Pretoria dated May 18, the correspondent of the Daily Mail says that the previous Thursday 60 arrests were made there as the result of the discovery of an extensive plot to blow up the government buildings and Lord Kitchener's residence and to spike the guns in the artillery barracks.

The parties concerned in the plot, according to the correspondent, were lawyers, chemists and Boer and Dutch prisoners on parole.

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Shawnigan Lake	10:20	10:46	Shawnigan Lake	5:42	7:01
Duncans	11:00	10:02	Duncans	6:20	6:05
	P.M.		Nanaimo	8:02	4 25
Nanaimo	12:45	8:15	Ar. Wellington	8:17	Lv. 4 10
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FIGURES TALK!
The fifth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company was held in Toronto, March 7th.
The net profit of the year, after paying all operating expenses and all charges of every kind, amounted to $207,848.39. After paying a dividend at the rate of ten per cent per annum, a balance of $28,142.89 was carried forward to the credit of profit and loss.
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W. C. WELLS.
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 8th April, 1902.

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R. F. JOHN, Warden.
June 3rd, 1902.

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Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 27th May, 1902.

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DISALLOWANCE.

Mr. Gilbert Malcolm Sproat addresses a long and interesting letter to the Colonist on the question of disallowance, which we publish with the greater pleasure, because it brings the matter into such clear relief. We think Mr. Sproat is wrong, but he is intelligently wrong, and that is better than being unintelligently right. He has entirely misapprehended the distinction between overlapping legislation and legislation which is ultra vires. This disallowance power in our opinion is only intended to meet the case of legislation which is intra vires so far as the province in which it is passed is concerned, but which has an incidental external effect not in the interests of Canada as a whole, or of the Empire. Its disallowance is an act of government, whereas the disallowance of ultra vires legislation is a mechanical act of law. The former process is the discretionary exercise of a prerogative, the latter is not. There is only one set of circumstances in which this prerogative can rightfully be exercised. It cannot rightfully be exercised simply because the Dominion government may happen to think certain legislation good or bad. Else a province could only legislate on sufferance. Now this disallowance of the Natal Act is not coming from the Colonial office. Imperial reasons cannot be pleaded for its disallowance because there are portions of the Empire where it, or a law like it, is in force. The disallowance comes from Ottawa, and is due to the existence of a public opinion in Eastern Canada, where there are no Chinese, that it is wrong to exclude them from the country. The exercise of the disallowance power in this instance is an unquestionable abuse of the prerogative, and one upon which a constitutional agitation will compel the Dominion government to give way.

PIG IRON.

The protectionist policy of the United States is robbing Canada of manufactures and keeping our country in the position of a hewer of wood and drawer of water for a foreign and more complex civilization. We have pointed this out over and over again in connection with the lead question, and, it is a curious thing that men who were strong free traders ten years ago have become equally strong protectionists through living in Kootenay and have an object lesson in economics continually before their eyes. On the Coast we are beginning to have an object lesson of exactly the same kind put before us in the manufacture of pig iron at Irondale in the State of Washington. We have ore and coke, the United States has the industry. Economic theories have got nothing to do with this. If we are to remain an inferior nation by squaring our conduct with free trade ideas, let us break with these ideas and rise a little higher in the scale. Furthermore, if we do not act quickly so large an interest will become vested in the export of crude iron ore that it will every year be more difficult to do anything at all. We can make pig iron in British Columbia and enter the common export market with it, if we only go to work in the right way.

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The dust nuisance must be abated. Something more than is being done at present will have to be done. We have no suggestions to make, except that we want to see some action taken and taken speedily. The discomfort to the people of Victoria themselves is excessive, and the effect upon our visitors must be extremely depressing.

Scientists have been calculating the waste energy resulting from coughing and figure that during this operation the air is expelled from the lungs at the rate of 300 feet per minute. If the scientists could stand at the post office entrance and figure up the waste energy involved in overcoming the vis inertia of those leaden doors, they would often hear swear words at the rate of 300 per minute and over.

The trial of a "promoter" in Idaho last week revealed the fact that he had secured $270,000 for the sale of wildcat mining stocks, out of which a few thousands only went towards the development of the properties, the balance having been spent in advertising and good living. This gentleman, who styled himself the "Cecil Rhodes of Oregon," can lay the flattering unction to his soul that he has not lived altogether in vain. To spend only a portion of the money in advertising is but to add insult to injury.

The recent high winds have again shown that the present street sprinkling is totally inadequate for any city that is making a bid for recognition as a tourist resort. Victoria has a most delightful climate, but we also get a goodly share of wind, and flying dust is a nuisance that tourists will not submit to. A few thousand dollars spent in equipping tank cars, which could use salt water would keep constantly watered the main thoroughfares and streets most likely to be traversed by tourists. Then the present sprinklers could devote their time to the side streets.

The Tourist association is doing good work in drawing attention to Victoria as a resort. Advertisement is the secret of success. At last we have hit upon the right method of advertising. And we must keep pegging away until we make Victoria known and popular all over the Middle West and Pacific seaboard. Seattle and Tacoma are backing us up in our fight because more travel to this point means more travel through these cities. The greatest credit should be given to the active spirits who have made a success of the Tourist association. Its beneficial effects are already beginning to be felt.

San Francisco has recently lost two of her most enterprising merchant princes, John Rosenfeld, a week ago, and Louis Sloss, last Thursday. Both were well known in this province, particularly the latter, who was the main spring of the clique who made sealing an international question. Sloss was the first lessee of the seal islands, and at the time was accorded no end of banter for what was then supposed to be a poor investment. He was also a pioneer of the Alaska and Yukon trade, his trading company having been one of the first to grasp the possibilities of the frozen North. His charity was as broad as his toleration, which was universal, and many deeds of unostentatious helpfulness are told of him.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

COMPETITION NECESSARY.

Sir,—"Victoria First's" trenchant reply to the correspondent who suggested, on the false plea of preserving the harbor from encroachments, that the City Council should decline to entertain the proposition of the Victoria Machinery Depot Co., is all that could be desired. From a personal acquaintance with the Mayor and several of the aldermen I feel sure that they will never be parties to a proposition that smacks, as "Victoria First" says, strongly of a monopoly that cannot handle all the shipping that now needs repair. As a resident and property-owner of Rock Bay I welcome the institution of the new industry as a means of furnishing employment to laboring men and artisans and increasing the business of local merchants. Further, I know that the proposed railway will not be an encroachment on the harbor—in fact quite the reverse; it would improve rather than damage existing conditions for shipping in the upper harbor.

ROCK BAY.

IS THIS THE TIME?

Sir,—Whilst all like to see our city of Victoria improve and progress, yet the greatest care should be taken when times are not very flourishing, that an intelligent moderation should be used, as no one expects that all we would like to see done can be done in one year or two years. The people have come forward liberally to vote large sums for bridges, school houses and other works, which should receive due consideration from the Mayor and aldermen, who, so far, have not shown any desire to lessen our burdens. It is now proposed to increase the rates for water and levy a frontage rate where water pipes pass in front or in rear of property. Water is an article which should be placed at the lowest figure, and not to be maintained at a profit and every reasonable help should be given those who keep up lawns and gardens, which add so much to the beauty of the place, and give it an attractive appearance in the eyes of strangers and tourists. By all means keep down water rates—equalize them, and above all abandon a frontage tax on such as are unfortunate enough to have pipes pass by their property. Then there is the question of street paving and granolithic sidewalks, all of which bear very heavily on the property-owner in addition to the regular tax of 22 mills. Good wooden sidewalks are often pulled up when it is not then necessary to do so. These questions require calm consideration and moderation, and not a harrassing policy.

RATEPAYER.

VICTORIA'S DUSTY ROADS.

Sir,—With reference to your incisive editorial on this nuisance, may I be allowed to add a few facts in support of your contention. We have no less than two water carts (and those resplendent in good vermillion red) to subdue the dusty roads of a city of 20,000 inhabitants! The total mileage that is covered with the spray does not exceed four; some streets being sprinkled 15 feet wide, others double that width; some are sprinkled once a day, others twice, some days three times. The single spread may mitigate the nuisance for two hours in the day, and so on in proportion. As a comparative instance of cart capacity I may say that Johnson street, from Government street to Blanchard, requires a cartload of 600 gallons for a double spray of thirty feet, and is in length about a quarter of a mile. An idea can thus be formed of what we get from expenditure of about $1,250 per annum. The use of sea water would mean this: The same outfit, at the same expense, could cover, effectually and thoroughly, about three times the area during the same working day, that is now so imperfectly treated with fresh water. I say the same expense because fresh water is selling at 20 cents per thousand gallons, or about three times the price at which sea water could be placed in the same carts, the difference paying the outlay on the sea water stations. The work done would be many times the value to the ratepayers, effectually abate the nuisance and have the additional advantage of saving in the maintenance of roads. The borough engineer of Ipswich addressed enquiries, to the engineers of 35 coast towns, asking their experience; only ten spoke adversely to its use, "the remainder witnessed that it had a binding effect upon the surface of the roads, quite different to the effect of fresh water sprinkling, and so permanent that only one half or one-third as much water was required." Edinburgh, Manchester and Salford made the same enquiries with like results. The borough engineer of Great Yarmouth states "that since the works were completed the saving in the purchase of flint and gravel has been £300 per annum and will be greater. The distribution cost less by £100 per annum in consequence of the less volume sufficing and the roads are better watered, while the flushing of the sewers is well worth the whole cost of the works."

The pumping might be done either by wind mills of by electric motors; the latter may be more reliable and could be connected up to the present main wire, or by a gasoline engine as found more economical. Such stations should consist of a pump of a capacity of not less than 2,000 gallons per hour, each tank to store say 20,000 gallons at least. The tank should be sufficiently elevated that its usefulness could be extended inland by mains and other distributing hydrants, for the effectual watering of the greater part of the town. Such a station would cost from six to seven hundred dollars, and of these there should be two in James Bay, one in Wharf street, one in Store street, one in Rock Bay and one in Victoria West. One could be created as a test and for experimental use. "Engineering" sums up the matter thus: "The experience already gained (1888) demonstrates that a seaside town can thus put itself in a position of being able to water its roads without stint throughout the longest and hottest summer, whilst its sewers may be flushed out most thoroughly There are besides the collateral advantages of a total saving of the fresh water formerly used for these purposes, of an economy of the up-keep of roads and in the attraction offered to visitors of having sea water laid direct to the bath rooms of the houses."

Many houses along the lines of the inland mains would be only too glad to take and pay for sea water, and thuse create a remunerative revenue. The advertisement of sea water baths in the hotels, boarding-houses and private dwellings would be quite a consideration to visitors, and would often cause such people to give one seaside resort the preference of others, and be much to the profit of Victoria.

THOS. C. SORBY.

DISALLOWANCE.

Sir,—I am afraid—if I may so far presume that I must disallow your article on disallowance, leaving Mr. Martin's speech untouched, as too meagrely reported for comment. Do not be angry, please; sometimes Homer nods. What are we to make of the following extract from your article in relation to the Asiatic immigration bill:

"The power of disallowance is given to the Dominion government, not for the purpose of quashing legislation of the province, which is ultra vires, because such legislation is without validity in any case; and certainly not for the purpose of substituting for the will of the people the judgment of the Minister of Justice, but simply for the purpose of preventing acts in one jurisdiction which might overlap and trench upon the authority of another jurisdiction."

Is it not evident that as "overlapping" or "trenching" is of the essence of ultra vires action, you are here stating contradictorially that the power of disallowance is not given for the purpose of quashing ultra vires legislation, but for the purpose of quashing ultra vires legislation—an explanation which is more funny than informing? Again, having in view the scheme of the Empire embracing in Canada a tentative Federal constitution with provinces whose relative position is being slowly adjusted by legal decisions from time to time, do you really think that ultra vires questions can be determined except in the prescribed way? The Canadian constitution is a legalized compact to which the provinces are parties, and no province of its own motion, acting alone, is competent to determine, as you say it is, the "validity in any case" of formally questioned legislation. Such action would be practically a step towards secession. Further, it is misleading to speak, as you speak above, of the Minister of Justice overruling "the will of the people." That functionary, in this part of his duties, is merely a reporting officer, who reports to the responsible authority, namely, the Governor-General in Council, his professional opinion, whether, for instance, a certain act is illegal or unconstitutional, wholly, or in part—whether, in cases of concurrent jurisdiction, it clashes with the legislation of the Federal parliament—or whether, and how it might affect the interests of the Dominion generally. The rule is that local legislation is to be interfered with as little as possible, that great caution is to be exercised, and the provincial government to be communicated with when an Act is partially defective or only in some respects objectionable. Sir John Macdonald's memorandum on disallowance, dated as early as the 8th of June, 1868 (Sessional Papers of Canada, 1869, No. 18) remains the key to the interpretation that is to be placed by all Ministers of Justice on questions involving Federal and provincial prerogatives in this matter. Is it not obvious that there could be no sound constitutional growth in Canada, without some provision of this kind, and without decisions of a high court on referred constitutional questions arising under the B. N. A. Act, which act is a skeleton?

The reader, I know, may here ask, and very properly ask, how then can the provinces baffle Federal usurpation which, owing to the natural indraught of power to the larger body, is not likely to occur.

Having referred to a great authority on one side, I will answer this question by referring to an equally great authority on the other side.

The Hon. Edward Blake, in the debate on the legality of the action of the Federal parliament in altering the terms of the B. N. A. Act, in the matter of the Nova Scotia Subsidy Act, said:

"I lay down this proposition with the utmost confidence, that each of those provinces which come together and surrender up a portion of their independent powers upon certain specified conditions, to the general government through the medium of the imperial legislature, has the right, and is bound, in defence of the rights of the province, to say to the supreme authority (the British government) if it is proposed to violate the compact 'step in and prevent that violation; protect us from the wrong proposed to be done, protect us from the injury which is proposed to be committed not by a false course of policy, not by a misjudged use of the powers which we have given, but by an unwarranted usurpation of authority in excess of those powers.'"

This is all very well, but the peculiarity in the Mongolian case here, is that we are not charging the Dominion government with "usurpation," but with a want of sympathy, due, partly, perhaps, to a certain pressure upon Canada by Great Britain for diplomatic reasons, affecting the general interests of the Empire. It has to be remembered that the obligations of Canada, as part of that Empire, arising under treaties between the Empire and foreign countries have to be performed by the Dominion government (Section 132, B. N. A. Act) exclusively. Were the hands of Canada free, in this last respect, we might ask, perhaps, the help of her government as against the Mongolian invasion on the ground that its action would tend towards "peace, order and good government," mentioned in section 91 of the B. A. N. Act. It could hardly be claimed, however, that continual inaction on the part of Canada in that matter, would be a breach of the constitutional compact—said section 91 being so very indefinite. The whole question obviously is difficult, and I do not know that, under the circumstances we can do more than persistently re-enact our anti-Mongolian laws, and try to educate our masters. High talk about "the absolute sovereignty of the people through their representative assemblies," is unsuited to the subject, and unhelpful. The local House appears to have appreciated the situation.

GILBERT MALCOLM SPROAT.

PRESS COMMENTS.

In the opinion of the leading logging men the declaration of peace in South Africa means millions of dollars to the lumbering interests of the Pacific coast. One of the heaviest logging operators states that in his opinion, the resumption of peace in Africa has increased the value of every stick of standing timber. He fixes the increase at not less than 50 cents per thousand. Other leading loggers and lumbermen share in this opinion.—Vancouver World.

Peace at last in South Africa. The terms are generous, even more so than those accorded by General Grant to General Lee at Appomattox, but then Lee had no alternative but surrender, while the Boers were still nominally afield but nearly at the end of their resources. Virtually they were terms dictated by a victor to a conquered foe, and their magnanimity is evidently due not to compulsion but to policy.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

It is announced that it is the King's pleasure that the school children throughout his realm should have a week's holiday in connection with the coronation, and few and churlish will be the parents who grudge it. This occasion is something altogether exceptional, and the children would have a right to consider themselves bitterly wronged if they were kept at lessons while all the rest of the world was celebrating the coronation of the Seventh Edward. It would make history read all wrong to them—London Globe.

Lord Kitchener is worthy of all the honors and emoluments he has received from his country, and all the outspoken admiration of her people. He adds another great name to the long roll of English soldiers who have risen to the highest rank without any adventitious aids of hereditary rank or political favoritism.—Portland Oregonian.

Canada wants a fast freight and passenger service across the Atlantic, strong enough financially and with the facilities and carrying capacity to enable her to hold her own against any rates the shipping combine can afford to make in order to secure Canadian business. Canada wants this service just as soon as she can get it. There isn't a citizen of the Dominion today who would like to see Canadian grain and other produce of the country shipped to Europe via New York or Boston.—Toronto News.

A correspondent sends a clipping from a San Francisco paper in which Governor Brady of Alaska discusses the soil possibilities in Alaska. Governor Brady declares the finest farm land in the world exists in that distant territory, and that it will one day be the greatest agricultural possession of the United States. Our correspondent appositely remarks: "If this is true of Alaska, what about the Yukon Territory and Northern British Columbia, in Canada?"—Toronto Globe.

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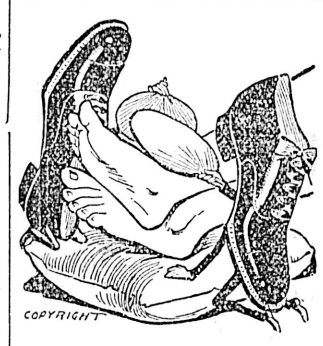
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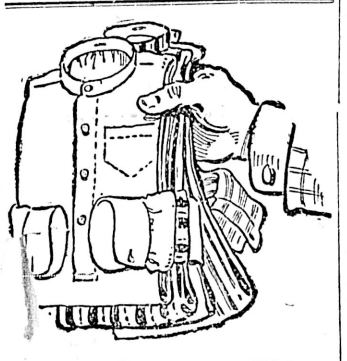
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Local News.

Big Potlatch.—Indians from all the coast rancheries are gathering at the Cowichan reserve for the big potlatch, which takes place this week. It is expected to be one of the biggest held on the Coast for some time, all the Cowichan Indians being fairly well off.

Kodakers Too.—To the numerous fishermen and picnickers who have for years been spending their Sundays along the line of the E. & N. railway are now added the kodakers, many of whom take advantage of the day off to go into the hills and valleys of the Island to take shots at the scenery, the equal of which is not to be found anywhere. These enthusiasts are talking of organizing a kodak club.

Sale of Plants.—Mr. Hardaker announces an important sale of plants for this afternoon at 2 o'clock at his salerooms Douglas street. There will be offered for sale carnations, palms, marguerites, hanging baskets, ferns, begonias, pelargoniums, geraniums, lily of the valley (coronation flower), fuchias, cactus, dahliah, umbrella, asparagus ferns, etc., etc.

Police Court.—Low Hong, charged with stealing dry goods from Sing Yuen & Co., was discharged by Magistrate Hall yesterday morning, as Sing Yuen, the proprietor, could not positively identify the goods as his property. The prosecutor had to pay $2.50 costs. A Sunday drunk, was fined $5; and an ordinary drunk $2.50. Peter Spence, a Hydah Indian, will remain in gaol for one month in default of a fine of $5.

Pentecost Services—Divine service will be held at congregation Emanuel, corner of Blanchard and Pandora streets this Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at 7 p. m.; and Wednesday and Thursday mornings at 10:15 a. m. There will be a confirmation this evening. The names of the confirmants are: Misses Hannah Aaronson, H. & L. Weaver and Lily Weinrobe; Masters Bertie Aaronson and Sol. Phillips. The Rev. Montague N. A. Cohen will deliver an address. The subject of the sermon on Wednesday evening will be: "The Immutability of the Sinaitic Dispensation."

Successful Pupil.—Preston C. Coates, formerly a pupil of the Victoria High school, has passed his first term examination at the School of Applied Science, Toronto, which institution he has been attending for the past year. Nearly 180 candidates tried the examination and not more than half of them were successful. Mr. Coates' success speaks well for the training he received at the High school in this city, as during his year at Toronto he labored under many disadvantages. He is now enjoying a well-earned holiday at Sault Ste. Marie, where he is attached to the Magnetic Survey.

Laid at Rest.—The funeral of the late George Koenig took place on Sunday afternoon at 2:30, from the B. C. Funeral Furnishing company's parlors, at 2:30 o'clock. A large number of friends were present. The members of Far West lodge, No. 1, Victoria lodge, No. 17, and Maple lodge, No. 15, K. of P., from Duncans, attended in a body. The services at the parlors and the grave, for the K. of P., were conducted by E. P. Nathan, of Victoria lodge, No. 17, acting prelate. A great many floral designs were sent by friends. The pallbearers were: Messrs. C. Wenger, M. Bantly, L. Hafer, F. Grathwohl, E. H. Henly and T. E. Elford.

Two Fires.—The passengers and crew of the Sunday morning north-bound train on the E. & N. railway were called upon to fight a fire, which but for the timely arrival of the train must have destroyed the section house at Mackenzie's between Langford and Goldstream stations. Mrs. Thompson, who lives there with her husband, the sectionman, was alone with her baby, her husband being absent along the line. She flagged the train, which was brought to a stop and the passengers and crew soon had the fire, which was burning beneath the roof, under control. There was another fire along the line, several hundred cords of wood just above the summit being destroyed. The wood, it is said, belonged to Mr. J. E. Grice of this city.

New Pastors.—Rev. W. P. Westman, of Vernon, arrived by the Charmer on Saturday night to take up his duties as pastor of the Centennial Methodist church in succession to Rev. W. H. Barraclough, who will have charge of the Dawson church. Mr. and Mrs. C. Holt and Mr. P. Shakespeare met Rev. Mr. Westman at the wharf and escorted him to the parsonage. On Sunday the new pastor preached at both the morning and evening services, making a very good impression. Rev. Mr. Westman was expected on Friday night in time for the reception to the departing minister, Rev. W. H. Barraclough, but unfortunately he was delayed at Kamloops. Rev. B. H. Balderston, formerly pastor of the James Bay Methodist church, will in future reside in New Westminster, his duties being for the most part that of a teacher at Columbia college. Rev. D. W. Scott, the incoming pastor, preached on Sunday for the first time.

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Full Court Begins Today

Judgments Will Be Handed Down and a Start Made on Cases.

Several Applications Dealt With by the Chief Justice In Chambers.

This morning the Full court begins its sittings at which some 37 cases will be reviewed on appeal, while there is a possibility of one or two more being added to the list before its several weeks of labor are completed, the sittings being expected to be so long as to interfere with the Assize courts, which have been set for July next.

It is expected that before proceeding with the cases on the docket, which will be called in the order in which they are found there, their Lordships will hand down several judgments regarding previous appeals, and that thus the present sitting with its exceptionally long list will practically have a clean slate to begin with.

The present appeal list is as follows:

1. Bennett Lake Navigation Co. v. Bank of B. N. A. (appellants).
2. Merchants Bank v. Houston (appellant).
3. Union Bank v. Wurtzburg (appellant).
4. Trowbridge (appellant) v. McMillan.
5. Byers (appellant) v. Jordan.
6. Hall v. Grant (appellant).
7. Fry v. Botsford (appellant).
8. Tanaka v. Russell (appellant).
9. Brenton v. White (appellant).
10. Re Vancouver Incorporation Act.
11. Sam Kee v. Wurtzburg (appellant).
12. McMecune v. Botsford (appellant).
13. Bibbs (appellant) v. Victoria.
14. Dowler (appellant) v. Union Assurance Co.
15. Rae (appellant) v. Gifford.
16. Re Succession Duty Act and estate of S. M. McDonald.
17.—Oppenheimer v. Sperling (appellant).
18. Another appeal in same action.
19. Nichol v. Pooley (appellant).
20. Saunders (appellant) v. Russell.
21. Re Assessment Act and lot 1, Alberni.
22. Murphy (appellant) v. Star Mining Co.
24. Re Okell & Morris.
24. Calder v. Law Society (appellant).
25. Harris v. Dunsmuir (appellant.)
27. Stevenson v. Williams (appellant).
28.—Hoffman v. Moe (appellant).
29. Chisholm v. Craken (appellant).
30. Belcher (appellant) v. McDonald.
31. Cane (appellant) v. McDonald.
32. Re Assessment Act and Income Tax.
33. Booker v. E. & N. Railway Co. (appellants).
34. Gordon (appellant) v. Williams.
35. Ah Tam (appellant) v. Robertson.
36. Henry v. Lamb (appellant).
37.—Bank of British North America (appellant) v. Ward.

IN CHAMBERS.

At yesterday's sitting of the Supreme court chambers Mr. Justice Martin disposed of one application, several others being stood over for further hearing. Amongst the latter is the graveyard case from Port Essington, in which Mr. Cunningham seeks to compel the Rev. Mr. Appleyard to pull down a building erected upon the little God's acre of that far off point. Grey v. Hyland, and Finch v. White Bear, two other injunction matters, were also stood over, the one to come up on 48 hours' notice, the other until the 14th. A consent order also went for the partition of the lands in Saanich lately owned by William and Charles Reay.

The application to set down an appeal in Star Mining Co. v. Bryon, White Co., a Sandon mining case, was stood over until this morning.

In the County court case of Yit Gim v. Kay Yume, an order was made to proceed with the taking of accounts.

On Thursday next the monthly sittings of the County court begins, at which the docket shows some 25 contested cases, several of which are for quite considerable amounts, though usually arising out of accounts between the parties.

WILLIAM ANDEAN DEAD.

Took Part in the Rushes for Gold to California, Australia and British Columbia.

The death occurred at the Jubilee Hospital on Sunday night of paralysis, of William Andean, a pioneer of California, Australia, and British Columbia. The deceased was born in Cornwall, England, 79 years ago, and early took that wandering fever that brought so many young men to America in those days. When less than 20 years of age, he moved to Ontario, where he remained until the Californian gold excitement of '49. This brought him West, and after meeting with varying fortune in the Golden State, he went to the Ballarat goldfields in Australia. From there he returned to Canada, and in 1863 came to British Columbia, the Cariboo gold excitement bringing him to this part of the Coast. After trying his luck in the goldfields, he returned to Victoria and for many years conducted a store on the west side of Government street, between Yates and Johnson. He acquired considerable property in the Fernwood section of the city, and there had a pretty home and splendid orchard. Two sisters survive him.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 from the Odd Fellows Hall, Douglas street.

Mr. Andean was stricken with paralysis about three weeks ago, while conversing with a friend, but until a week ago hopes were entertained for his recovery. Complications, however, set in from an injury received in the mines, and he gradually sank.

Voters' League.—As some doubt seems to exist, it might be stated that all voters, both ladies and gentlemen, are cordially invited to take part in the meetings of the Voters' league, which meets at the city hall every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

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Once More Before Courts

Esquimalt Waterworks Co. Takes Interest in Craigflower Road Controversy.

Injunction Served on the Corporation—To Be Argued Thursday.

Once more the Craigflower road controversy has drifted from the Council chamber to the Court house, this time the Esquimalt Waterworks company taking the initiative in the case and demanding that the city be stopped from closing up the historic highway. On Saturday last this company threw down the legal gage, by taking out an order nisi before Mr. Justice Drake, which order was in the course of the day duly served upon the civic officials.

It stays all sorts of proceedings to block the road until Thursday next, when the city must show cause why the Craigflower Closing By-law, 1902, should not be wholly quashed for illegality.

The reasons appearing on the order are very various, but from these it was gleaned that the waterworks company, whose pipes from Thetis lake have by the company been laid along that highway for some 15 years or more, claim that this road, running out as it does into the surrounding districts, is the property of the crown and not of the city of Victoria at all, that it is a public highway of the province rather than a city street, and that it has been such for 47 years. It is further claimed that the by-law was passed, not in good faith or in the public interest, but in the interest of certain interested property holders, of whom Ald. Kinsman is or was one, and that the by-law itself is bad through certain informalities.

A visit to the scene yesterday afternoon shows that both fences have been carefully removed and that the posts and other materials have been orderly piled up at the sides of the highway.

EXCURSION TO IRONDALE.

Large Number of Victorians Visit the Iron Foundries.

Steamer City of Nanaimo on Sunday carried a large excursion party to Irondale, the iron-working camp across the Straits, whither the ores of British Columbia are being carried and manufactured into pig iron. The Fifth Regiment band was on board and played a good programme on both the outward and inward voyages. A call was made at Port Townsend, where the majority of the excursionists went ashore, and several tarried too long at the Key City and were left behind. At Irondale the excursionists were unfortunately just half an hour too late to see the iron drawn from the furnaces, although the manager had delayed it for three hours. The excursionists were, however, shown about the works and the modus operandi of the production of United States iron from British Columbia ores and British Columbia fuel was explained in all its details. The steamer returned to port about 10 p.m., being delayed by the heavy breeze encountered on her return voyage. She delayed an hour at Port Townsend in consequence of the heavy weather.

This Evening's Attraction.—Richard Mansfield arrives today and with his company appears at the Victoria Theatre this evening. With Mansfield, in addition to his business staff, and his stage managers, is a large corps of assistants and servants who are not seen in the cast. There is the assistant stage manager, two calcium operators, the wardrobe mistress and a maid for the ladies, the property man and assistant, two carpenters, the call-boy, the master of transportation, the groom who cares for the horses, and Mr. Mansfield's dresser, his valet, his porter and chef on the private car. This artist spares nothing to make every performance, of which his appearance is a part, as nearly perfect as if it were the first night of the play. He has experienced workmen at every post. The artists in the cast are the same that created the roles. He brings every particle of scenery and all the pictorial paraphernalia which he used in the orginal run. His performance of "Beaucaire" tonight will be a dramatic treat.

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Yesterday morning the local matriculation examination for McGill university, of Montreal, began in the school room of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, the Rev. W. Leslie Clay presiding. Of the eight candidates who then began to take the papers seven are from the Victoria High school, the remaining one having private school training. The following is the list of candidates: Misses Grace Atkinson, Beatrice Loat and J. A. Coates, L. M. Coburn, L. M. Mowat, O. S. Preston, M. G. Tully and Campbell Brady. All these are taking the papers for the "pass" examination. The examination will last some eight days, the subjects coming up in the following order:

Monday, June 9.—A.M., English grammar, 9 to 10:30; English dictation and composition, 10:30 to 12. P. M., Algebra, 2 to 3:30; French, 3:30 to 5:30.

Tuesday, June 10.—A.M., arithmetic, 9 to 10:30; British history, 10:30 to 12. P. M., geometry, 2 to 4; trigonometry, 4 to 5:30.

Wednesday, June 11.—A. M., Latin, 9 to 1. P M., chemistry 3 to 4:30.

Thursday, June 12.—A. M., mathematics, Park II (Algebra and Euclid), 9 to 11; English literature, 11 to 12:30. P. M., German, 2 to 4; physical geography (physiography), 4 to 5:30.

Friday, June 13.—A .M., Greek, 9 to 1. P. M., physics, 3 to 4:30.

Monday, June 16.—A .M., botany, 9 to 10:30.

Gentry's Street Parade.—The street parade given this season by Gentry Bros', famous trained animal exhibition is in keeping with the performance which takes place under the white tops. By the parade the performance can be judged. Between 11 o'clock and noon, Friday morning, the parade will pass through the principal streets of Victoria. No traveling exhibition of any kind has a finer collection of animals and no other trained animal show can boast of so many beautiful miniature chariots, carriages, wagons and buggies. But as the parade will tell its own story in its own way the general public is invited to act as inspectors and critics and so judge for itself as to its magnificence and beauty.

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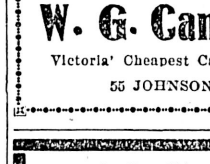
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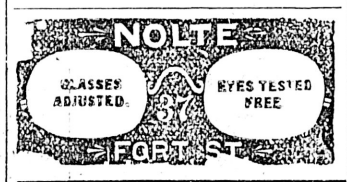
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City Council Makes Grant

It Is Decided to Give Appropriation to Coronation Day Celebration.

Cemetery Committee Recommend Drastic Changes in Care of Grave Plots.

The City council met last evening, His Worship Mayor Hayward presiding, and all the aldermen being present.

The minutes of the two previous meeting were adopted as read.

Communications were then read as follows:

From Frank I. Clarke, of the Tourists' Association, recommending that the city have guide posts placed upon the streets directing visitors to the various points of interest and beauty. Referred.

From D. Leeming, secretary of the Coronation Day celebration committee, enclosing the resolution of that body, asking that the council donate $1,000 to that event. Ald. Yates moved that the finance committee be recommended to make this grant. Ald. Cameron asked where the money was to come from, as the revenue would not already meet the expenditure of this year. Ald. McCandless reminded the council that before the Twenty-Fourth it had been understood that the city had only one $1,000 for such a purpose and that had already been met. His Worship pointed out that possibly too much stress had been given to this $25,000 question. The citizens might readily think that it was due to the extravagance of the council, whereas the $25,000 was made up of Point Ellice bridge claims, the new High school, etc. The motion was then carried.

From Moore & Whittington, offering $100 towards the sewer extension on George street, as requested by the council. Filed, the work to be forthwith provided for.

From J. E. Painter, complaining of the rough state of the foot of Yates street. Referred.

Frank Page, secretary of the police commissioners, regretting that they cannot see their way to reduce their estimate. Filed.

Ruther Wilson, on behalf of Knox church, Stanley avenue, asking for some improvements to the adjoining roads. Referred.

John Clegg, asking that the electric light pole at the corner of Pandora and Chambers street be moved. Referred, with power to act.

From Edith Le Niven, asking a second time for a sewer connection with her house. Referred.

From James Ritchie, enclosing a doctor's bill for $100, which had been incurred through his wife's fall on a piece of defective sidewalk. Referred.

PETITIONS.

A. W. Jones and others asked for permission to connect some septic tanks with surface drains. Referred.

Mr. G. Moss and others asked for a plank walk on Elford street. Referred.

Fred. Plows called attention to bad ditch on Seventh street and King's road. Filed, work at present in hand.

Wm. T. Hardaker and other auctioneers regarding the amount of the license charged them, which they desired to have placed at the same rate as other traders. Filed.

REPORTS.

The city engineer reported the cost of a box drain asked by J. S. Byrn for Niagara street at $60; a sewer asked by Geo. Russell for Michigan street at $36; that the improvements asked by D. H. Bole and others for Leighton road would cost $650. The report also recommended that one of the city horses be disposed of and replaced. The report was referred, the two first items being recommended to be proceeded with forthwith.

The Firewardens asked the city to purchase three shut-off nozzles. Adopted.

The special committee appointed for that purpose reported in favor of the petition of the Machinery Depot for permission to construct a marine railway slip in the upper harbor, the like petition by Andrew Gray was stood over until his plans be filed. Adopted.

The finance committee recommended a lot of accounts for payment, the total amount being $12,405.54, and for the Government street paving, $13,528.50 and $8,259.08, and for the High school another $5,000. The purchasing agent was then instructed to purchase the necessary 200 barrels of asphalt at $20 a ton, from the Alestraz Asphalt Paving company, of Seattle, for the Government street work.

The Cemetery committee reported that G. G. Bagshaw had failed to substantiate the charges which his published statement had made against the cemetery caretaker, and the Cemetery committee itself. This brought Ald. Yates to his feet, and he told of a lot of financial troubles between the caretaker and the gardeners. These were discussed at length, and finally the report was adopted.

A secondary report of this committee recommended that the city take over the whole work. At present some $510 a month was spent in taking care of about 400 graves, and it was held that if this were systematically expended far better general results could be obtained. After some debate this report was stood over.

MOTIONS.

Ald. Barnard's motion for the cleaning of the streets was then taken up, its mover complaining that the work is not always finished up until late in the morning. Merchants, too, swept out their premises onto the public streets, which should be stopped at once. It might be necessary to have more men put on, or else to re-arrange the hours of this work. Ald. Cameron wanted the sign question included in this motion. The motion itself was then carried.

On motion of Ald. Grahame a committee consisting of Ald. Grahame, Worthington and Vincent were appointed to interview the government regarding the moving back of the pavement in front of the Court house (south side) so that Bastion street be widened.

A committee was also appointed, consisting of the Legislative committee and Ald. Cameron, to take charge of the question of a city charter for Victoria, in accordance with Ald. Barnard's motion of the preceding week.

The council then adjourned.

LOCAL NEWS

Talk to Young People.—A meeting of the Young People's society of the Centennial Methodist church was held last night, when Rev. J. P. Westman delivered an address.

Again Adjourned.—The cases of the seven Chinamen charged with having unstamped tobacco in their possession were continued in the City Police court yesterday afternoon, but not concluded. Mr. W. H. Langley is appearing for the Inland Revenue department, instructed by Mr. R. Jones, of the local office of that department, and Mr. Lindley Crease is appearing for the defence.

To Explore Coast.—Mr. Ernest Haycock, of the Geological Survey of Canada, arrived in the city last week and will shortly commence an extensive exploration of the West Coast of Vancouver Island, starting from Sooke harbor and extending to Cape Scott. He will be assisted by Mr. Webster, of the department at Ottawa, and a competent staff. It is expected that the examination will occupy several months, the instructions from Ottawa being to make a most minute survey.

Tourist Association.—At the Bureau of Information, 34 Fort street, the following ladies and gentlemen have registered: J. Philan, Vancouver, B. C.; J. Foster, Seattle, Wash.; S. B. Clement, Slocan, B. C.; Geo. D. Cotrell, Spencer, Iowa; S. H. Moore, Sioux City, Iowa; J. J. Zock, Toronto, Ont.; D. T. Thompscon, Hamilton, Ont.; H. A. Sheppard, Los Angeles, Cala. All strangers and visitors to the city are cordially invited to come to the tourist rooms, where all information as to means and ways to get about the town and suburbs will be gladly given.

Women's Council.—At the meeting of the Local Council of Women held yesterday at Bishopsclose, preliminary arrangements were made in connection with the women's department for the agricultural exhibition to be held in October, and a committee was appointed to draw up the prize list. Mrs. Baxter was present and addressed the meeting, after being officially appointed to represent the local council at the annual meeting of the National council, to be held at St. John, N. B., in July. At 4 o'clock the meeting resolved itself into a social gathering, when all present had an opportunity of speaking to Mrs. Baxter.

Literary Meetings.—The Epworth league, of the Metropolitan Methodist church, held their monthly literary meeting last night. Rev. E. S. Rowe conducted a very interesting discourse on the duties of Christian citizenship, which was greatly appreciated by those present. The literary meeting of the James Bay Epworth league was also held last evening. A most enjoyable evening was spent, listening to the various readings, solos and duets rendered by members of the league. Miss Lawson also gave two readings. A reception was also tendered by the president of league to their pastor, the Rev. E. E. Scott.

Want a Judge.—Messrs. D. O. Campbell, first vice-president of the Vancouver Board of Trade, with F. F. Burns, ex-president of that body, and W. Skene, its secretary, formed a deputation from the Terminal City, which waited yesterday on the ministry, with a request that one of the Supreme court judges be resident in that city. They instanced several cases of late in which serious loss resulted through absconding debtors which might have been avoided had a judge been at hand to issue capias, and pressed their claims in this matter with considerable force. In reply the deputation was informed that the government was most anxious to do all in its power to further the administration of justice, and would see that the matter was given the serious consideration that its importance demanded.

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Act Now. Act to day. Do not delay a matter which is the key to your future happiness; do not allow a disease to destroy all possibility of future pleasure for you. Whatever your condition to-day, you will not improve as you grow older. Age calls for greater vital force, and the older you get the more pronounced and apparent will be your weakness; so cure it now—cure it while you are young. The time is ripe. While the vital spark is still warm it can be easily fanned to flame by Electricity and Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt will make you strong if you try it now.

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On Sunday morning the compositors and reporters of the Colonist went from labor to refreshment, the scene chosen for the latter being the beauteous lagoon just beyond Esquimalt. Here a long and jolly day was devoted, amongst other things, to the catching and cooking of clams and crabs. It is safe to say that the waters of the lagoon are now depleted and demand a full year's preserving in order to stock up for the printers' picnic of 1903, for this soul-stirring event is now a fixture amongst the "annuals" of Victoria. In the taking of these submarine curiosities—for such the marine editor pronounced them—the staff exhibited a surprising degree of skill, all records, however, being broken by the printer's devil and the writer of "the heavy," who were particularly successful in locating those choice black marked ones with the sharp pointed tails in which all true crab gourmands delight.

In clam baking and crab cooking too, several chefs were unexpectedly discovered mute inglorious Milton's, they whose sole fame hitherto had been confined to pies and cases—and from these simple provisions of a beneficent Nature dish after dish in appetizing variety was produced to eke out the crackers and cheese so generally recommended as cheap diet in that periodical called Printer's Ink.

As a rule, however, all inky topics were tabooed, two would-be-controversialists starting a debate upon the similarities of style to be noticed in the works of Kipling and the Book of Job being locked up for 14 minutes while the rest of the gang discussed the merits of the baseball players of Vancouver. From this the general topic of the game itself was but an easy stride and when the printers' devil produced a ball, and some one found a piece of scantling on the beach, Big Abe and the foreman chose sides just to show how the game was susceptible of scienitfic demonstration. The score, which was the most inconsequential part of this issue, stood 67 to 49 in favor of Abe's bunch, when the Old Man of the Sea turned up with the launch and towed the picnic back to town. And now the small boys want to play tricks with the calendar, and have next year's outing come on the following Sabbath.

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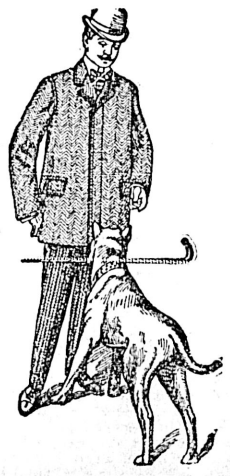
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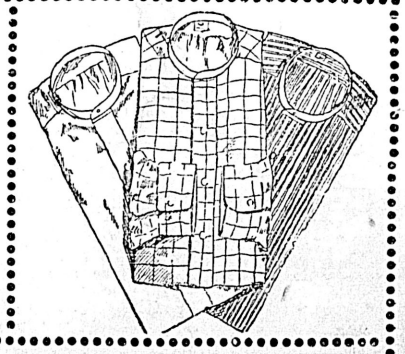


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Meteorological Office, Victoria, June 9.—8 p. m.

SYNOPSIS.

A high barometer area, central off the Columbia river, is pressing inland, and its passage has caused fresh westerly winds in this vicinity. Heavy rain has fallen at Port Simpson, and light showers in Cariboo and on the Fraser river delta. The weather is almost all other sections west of the Rockies has been fair, cool on the coast but much hotter between the ranges, reaching to 96 at Red Bluff, Cal. To the eastward the pressure is low from the foothills to the lakes, a marked depression being central in Alberta, and bright warm weather has prevailed throughout the Northwest.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	49	62
New Westminster	44	62
Kamloops	56	74
Barkerville	36	58
Port Simpson	44	..
Calgary	46	70
Winnipeg	50	60
Portland, Ore	54	74
San Francisco	50	64

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. Pacific time) Tuesday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate or fresh westerly winds, partly cloudy and moderately warm.

Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, partly cloudy with occasional showers, and not much change in temperature.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

JUNE 8.

Deg.		Deg.
5 a.m.	51 Mean	59
Noon	67 Highest	69
5 p.m.	60 Lowest	49

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m. ..... 4 miles west.
Noon ..... 16 miles southwest.
5 p.m. ..... 24 southwest.

Average state of weather—Fair.
Sunshine—9 hours 21 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed 29.844
Corrected 29.852

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected 29.92

MONDAY, JUNE 9.

Deg.		Deg.
5 a.m.	49 Mean	55
Noon	60 Highest	62
5 p.m.	60 Lowest	49

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m. ..... Calm.
Noon ..... 12 miles southwest.
5 p.m. ..... 16 miles southwest.

Average state of weather—Fair.
Sunshine—4 hours 54 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed 30.007
Corrected 30.038

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected 30.06

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

THE DRIARD.



Jane S.—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith, Vancouver; E. A. Hunter, Minneapolis; T. H. Keys, San Francisco; A. French Vancouver; Robt. Greig, Toronto; W. F. Irwin and wife, A. S. Clark, H. W. Kent and wife, Vancouver; D. Young, Ashnola, B. C.; D. S. Thompson, F. Carter-Cotton, H. Fencler and wife, Miss Gillespie, Vancouver; Mrs. Hammond, H. C. Hammond, H. R. Hammond, Miss Butler, Toronto; S. Duggan, New York; Fred F. Burr, Wm. Skeene, Vancouver.

June 9.—F. M. Dunn, Oakland, Cal.; H. Fornum, Seattle; Ferdinand Peck and wife, Chicago; Dr. Robt. Lyall, Port Townsend; J. S. Sterling and wife, J. Jones and wife, Kansas City, Mo.; Wilson Crowe, Toronto; Chas. Rodgers and wife, Philadelphia; Geo. Wibridge, Georgetown, Mass.

PERSONALS.

W. E. Buck, formerly of this city, has gone to South Africa. Since leaving the province he has been residing in Ottawa and St. John.

W. L. Challoner and wife returned yesterday from Europe, where Mr. Challoner has been purchasing goods for the firm of Challoner & Mitchell.

W. C. Mackenzie is down from Vancouver.

Mrs. Landsberg returned by the Umatilla from San Francisco.

Mrs. T. H. Tye was a passenger from the South by the Umatilla.

Mrs. Boucherat and her daughter, Miss Fiterre, former residents of Victoria, are here on a visit from San Jose.

E. V. Bodwell returned by the Rosalie yesterday from Seattle.

Miss M. A. Wylde has left for London to attend the coronation.

D. Carmody came over from the Sound yesterday.

E. C. Smith, assistant city treasurer, who has been recuperating at the Hotel Strathcona, Shawnigan Lake, came down on Sunday, much improved.

F. W. Parker of the Chicago & Northwestern railway, and a prominent Mystic Shriner, spent Sunday in Victoria and left yesterday for San Francisco to attend the convention of the order there.

J. E. Church left on Sunday for Portland on a visit.

Amongst the guests at the Victoria hotel are W. A. Cutler and A. H. Wallbridge, both of Vancouver; W. H. Lee of Texada Island; S. R. Courtney of Grand Forks; L. Godbolt of Toronto, and H. H. Stevens of Port Elgin, Ontario.

H. W. and Mrs. Kent of Vancouver are guests at the Driard hotel.

H. and Mrs. de Pencier of Vancouver, are registered at the Driard hotel.

W. H. Yost arrived here from Butte, Mont., last evening en route for Crofton, where he takes an important position on the engineering staff of the new smelter. He is staying at the Dominion hotel, as is also Thos. H. Gourlay of New Westminster; Rev. T. H. Wright of Michel, and Wm. Dey of Phoenix.

E. C. Ryder, advance agent of Gentry Bros.' shows, is registered at the Dominion.

L. Horton of Seattle, and Wm. Stephens and J. Williams, both of Vancouver, are staying at the Dawson.

Judge T. H. Murphy of Granite Creek, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

John P. McEachran, now of Pendleton, is visiting Victoria after an absence of some ten years from the city. With L. P. Gamble, also of Pendleton, he is staying at the Dominion hotel.

Amongst the tourists staying at the Victoria hotel are F. S. and Mrs. Sandford of Yokohama. Mr. Sandford is the manager of the famous Grand Hotel of that city, and is enjoying a six months leave of absence. After a few days here he goes on to New York.

E. H. Livingston of Barkerville, one of the best known fur traders of the upper country, is a guest at the Victoria hotel.

Miss Knight of Salt Spring Island, is in the city, a guest at the Queen's.

Capt. J. Clark of the sealing schooner Enterprise, is in the city, staying at the Queen's.

R. J. Neary, of the long distance telephone line, is at the Queen's.

E. A. De La Saux, a journalist of Chicago, is at the Queen's.

F. Alten, a mining man of Shawnigan, is at the Queen's.

Walter Grattan, Chemainus, is at the Queen's.

Hotel Strathcona, Shawnigan Lake, reports most delightful weather during the past week. Among the guests were Joseph and Mrs. Hunter, Miss Hunter and Mr. D. Hunter; Dr. Hannington, F. Lewin, E. Stonham, Mrs. Henry Young, and Mr. Young, jr., Mrs. E. J. Senkler of Vancouver, and Mr. Smith, assistant city treasurer, who has been staying in the hotel for several weeks, has received great benefit, and will shortly be able to resume his civic duties. Mrs. J. D. Pemberton has returned home, much pleased with her few days' visit.

CONVINCED BY PRINTED TESTIMONY of hundreds of the cured, Mrs. Benz, of 418 E. 8th street, New York, who was for years a great sufferer from Catarrh, procured two bottles of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder and it effected an absolute cure in a very short while. One puff through the blower will clear the head and stop headache.—S.

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BACK FROM DAWSON.

Dan Carmody of This City Returns from Klondike Metropolis.

Dan Carmody of this city arrived here on Sunday from Dawson. He came up the Yukon river on the steamer Sybil, which passed the sternwheeler White Horse, afterwards quarantined on her arrival at Dawson, with 200 passengers on board at White Horse, and she also passed the steamer Bailey, which had Governor Ross on board. The passengers of the Sybil were transferred to the steamer Clossett at Lake LaBarge, the steamer Sybil being unable to get up to White Horse on account of low water. Mr. Carmody says the water is the lowest for this time of year that Northerners have ever seen, and the scows are doing most of the freighting so far on that account. Business is poor at the Klondike capital, everything being overdone, and the market overstocked. The clean-up had commenced and considerable gold was being taken out, and it was expected that the output would be larger than ever this season.

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TO LET—A furnished house. Apply Mr. Hand's cottage, Esquimalt road. j10

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Provincial Legislature

The Victoria and Yellow Head Pass Railway Bill Passes Committee.

Progress Made In Committee With Vancouver to Midway Railway Bill.

Legislative Chamber, June 9, 1902.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2:30 p.m.

Rev. Canon Beanlands said prayer.

Mr. Oliver was granted leave to move the following resolution:

That a select committee consisting of Messrs. Martin, McBride, Smith (A. W.), Hunter and the mover, be appointed to examine Mr. F. C. Cotton, late finance minister in the Semlin-Cotton government, and any other person or persons, as to the negotiations between the government of British Columbia and the Columbia & Western Railway company in respect to the substitution of a cash subsidy in lieu of land grants, as outlined in the Queen's Speech at the opening of the spring session of the legislature in the year 1900, with power to summon the said F. C. Cotton and any other person or persons, and call for books and papers, and report the evidence to the House.

Mr. Oliver called attention to a statement made in the Queen's speech in 1900, to the effect that negotiations were then pending, whereby the Columbia & Western railway were to receive a cash subsidy instead of a land bonus. It was with a view of obtaining all the facts in connection with those negotiations that he moved his resolution.

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Hon. Mr. Eberts said the government had no objection to the resolution as he believed all available information should be laid before the House.

Mr. Martin suggested that the scope of the committee should not be confined to Mr. Cotton's evidence, but should include that of such other persons as might be of value.

The resolution was altered to meet Mr. Martin's suggestion and was adopted.

The report on the bill to amend the Assessment Act was adopted.

CANADIAN NORTHERN.

The House resumed consideration of the Victoria and Yellow Head Pass railway.

Mr. McPhillips offered an amendment which provided for the operation "forever" of the railway when completed, which was adopted. Mr. McPhillips moved another amendment, making it compulsory on the company to build the road up to the present standard of the C. P. R., instead of the standard of that road at the time of construction. He wanted a railway with all the modern improvements.

Hon. Col. Prior said it would be unfair to any company to ask them to construct, in the first place, a road equipped with all the facilities which it had taken the C. P. R. 14 years to procure.

Mr. McBride argued that the company might use all kinds of old materials and build a third-class road. He argued that the company should be obliged to put in steel or stone bridges, the same as the Intercolonial.

Hon. Mr. Eberts said Mr. McBride's and Mr. McPhillips' object in moving the amendment was to defeat the bill by making impossible conditions, which no company could accept. Mr. McPhillips had used the case of the C. P. R. and had read from the Dominion statute, which showed that the C. P. R. had been bound to construct a road up to the standard of the Union Pacific at the time of its construction. Surely hon. members would not seriously argue that any railway company would build an inferior road. Such a policy would mean utter failure, as such a road could not compete with its rivals.

Mr. Houston cited the cases of several railways, which had been equipped in the first place with wooden trestles, but which now had steel bridges and were continually spending large sums in improvements.

Mr. Hall said it would be very unfair to ask the company to perfect the road in the first instance. Every railway had to straighten curves and put in permanent bridges as soon as it possibly could, and it must be remembered that the first location of a road was very often changed, in order to shorten the mileage or secure a better grade, work which it would be impossible to do in the first place. It seemed to him that Mr. McPhillips was attempting to burk the bill and prevent Victoria from having a railway.

The amendment was defeated.

An amendment by Mr. Curtis, making the standard that of the Columbia & Western, was also defeated.

Capt. Tatlow moved to make it optional with the government to pay the subsidy, either in cash or debentures. If provincial stock went above par this would be an advantage.

Hon. Mr. Prentice accepted the amendment, which was adopted.

The following amendment, moved by Mr. Green for Mr. Neill, who has gone home, was adopted:

"Provided, however, that if the construction of the railway from Victoria to Seymour Narrows, via Alberni, mention in sub-section (b) of section 2 hereof, shall not have been completed before the commencement of the last one hundred and fifty miles of the railway from Bute Inlet to Yellow Head Pass, then the subsidy for the said last one hundred and fifty miles shall only be paid in the manner following, that is to say—

"When the subsidy for the first 20-mile section shall have been earned, it shall not be paid over to the company until satisfactory proof has been furnished to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council that the subsidy mentioned in sub-section (b) of section 2 hereof has been earned in respect of the construction of 20 miles of the railway from Victoria to Seymour Narrows, via Alberni. The subsidy for the second 20-mile section shall be paid in the same manner, and so on, section by section, so that the subsidy for the last 150 miles of the railway from Bute Inlet to Yellow Head Pass shall not be paid over until the construction is completed of the railway from Victoria to Seymour Narrows, via Alberni."

Mr. Hawthornthwaite moved an amendment fixing the minimum rate of wages on construction a $2 a day. He said this would effectually shut out Chinese.

Mr. Curtis supported the amendment.

Mr. Hall opposed the amendment. He believed in fair wages to white workmen, but he did not believe in dictating to employers what they should pay their men.

Mr. McBride wanted to know what had become of the resolution regarding workingmen and wages which was adopted by the House some years ago, and went on to attack the government for not having protected the workman in drafting the bill.

Hon. Mr. Eberts said it was a wonderful thing to hear Mr. McBride tear a passion to tatters over the government's neglect in guarding the interests of workmen, but his latest strictures only proved beyond a doubt that he had not read the bill which he had undertaken to criticize so osely. (Laughter.) If he would run to the bill he would find that the rights of workmen had been looked after in subsection h of section 3, which reads as follows:

(h.) The subsidy under this agreement shall be subject to the condition that the workmen, laborers or servants employed in or about the construction and operation of the railway in aid of which such subsidy is granted shall be paid such rate of wages as may be currently payable to workmen, laborers and servants engaged in similar occupations in the district in which such railway is constructed and operated, and upon breach of such condition by the company there may be deducted and retained from any moneys payable in respect of such unearned subsidy such amount as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may think proper, and in case the subsidy shall have been paid before such breach, such part thereof as may be determined by order in council may be recovered back from the company, with full costs of action, at the suit of the Attorney-General of the province in any court of competent jurisdiction.

(i.) The government shall be entitled to retain the subsidy on each section when the same becomes due until the company produce satisfactory evidence that the wages of all workmen employed on said section have been paid.

The amendment was defeated.

Capt. Tatlow moved the following as a new sub-section, which was adopted:

"The workmen, laborers or servants employed in or about the construction of the said railway, and each of them, shall be charged fair and reasonable prices for any board, provisions, clothing and other necessaries of life, and reasonable comfort supplied by the company, their agents, or any person or persons authorized by the said company to supply such goods and accommodation; and upon the breach of any of the provisions of this section, or in the event of exorbitant charges being made by the railway company, their agents or other person or persons authorized by the railway company, there may be deducted and retained from moneys payable in respect of such unearned subsidy, or hereafter to be granted subsidy, such amount as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may think proper."

Mr. McPhillips moved to make it compulsory to operate a ferry "forever" between the Mainland and Vancouver Island, provided no bridge was built over Seymour Narrows.

Mr. Clifford suggested that Mr. McPhillips' amendment should be changed to read "forever and a day."

Mr. McPhillips' amendment was defeated.

Mr. Helmcken's amendment, as follows, was agreed to:

"The company covenant that, as a condition of receiving aid under the provisions of this act, the terminus of the Pacific division of the line of railway shall be at the city of Victoria."

On motion of Capt. Tatlow, it was provided that the plans an specifications of any contract shall be subject to the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

Mr. Helmcken had a new section inserted providing that the Victoria & Seymour Narrows railway shall form a portion of the main transcontinental line of the Canadian Northern.

Several minor changes and amendments were made, and the committee reported the bill complete with amendments.

COAST-KOOTENAY.

The House went into committee of the whole, Mr. Hunter in the chair, to consider the Vancouver to Midway Railway bill. Some progress was made and the House adjourned at 6 o'clock.

NIGHT SITTING.

Mr. McBride's bill entitled the Live Stock Breeders' Protection Act was introduced and read a first time.

Mr. Curtis called attention to a notice in the British Columbia Gazette interpreting the meaning of certain regulations in the Mineral Act. He claimed that the Legislature being in session the proper course to pursue would be to bring in a bill to amend the act.

The bill to amend the Assessment Act was read a third time, and passed, on motion of Hon. Mr. Prentice.

COAST-KOOTENAY.

Consideration of the Vancouver to Midway railway bill was resumed in committee of the whole. On motion of Mr. Oliver the city of Victoria was made a starting point of the railway as well as Vancouver.

Capt. Tatlow's amendment to make it optional for the government to pay the subsidy in cash or provincial stock was adopted.

Mr. Helmcken moved the following new section, which was adopted:

"And the company also covenants with the government to construct, operate and maintain or otherwise provide a suitable car-ferry, propelled by steam, between the terminus of the said railway, at or near the mouth of the Fraser river and the most convenient point on Vancouver Island, so as to afford the most direct feasible route between the said terminus and the City of Victoria, and to lay out, construct, equip, fully complete and maintain or otherwise provide, or cause to be laid out, constructed, equipped, fully completed and maintained or otherwise provided, a railway from the terminus of the ferry on Vancouver Island as above-mentioned to the City of Victoria, provided that a traffic agreement with any company or companies operating a car-ferry propelled by steam between the Mainland of British Columbia and Vancouver Island, or operating a line of railway on Vancouver Island terminating at the City of Victoria, shall be a sufficient compliance with this covenant as long as a continuous service suitable for the transportation of freight and passengers is maintained between the terminus of the railway at or near the mouth of the Fraser river and the City of Victoria."

Mr. Helmcken also proposed a provision to enable the company to begin work at any time before the granting of a subsidy by the Dominion, which was agreed to.

Mr. McBride moved that no subsidy should be given to the portion of the railway from Vancouver to New Westminster.

Mr. McPhillips supported the motion.

Mr. McInnes opposed the motion on the ground that the portion of the road between Vancouver and New Westminster was as necessary to the completion of any other portion and should therefore be aided. The company was asked to build several miles of railway for which they would receive no subsidy, to the mouth of the Fraser and south of the river.

Capt. Tatlow also opposed the motion. The bill was not providing for a connection between Vancouver and New Westminster but for a through line from Vancouver to Midway.

Mr. Houston supported the amendment, as he did not see the sense of bonusing a line between two points which were already connected by a bonused road.

Mr. McBride insisted that a principle was at stake, the principle that it was not advisable or businesslike to subsidize a road between two points where there was already a state aided railway. It was a case of granting a double bonus and clearly a mistake.

Mr. Curtis also supported the motion. He did not believe in duplicating railways or granting double bonuses. He saw nothing to prevent this railway from securing running rights over the electric railway tracks, which had received aid from the government.

Mr. Martin thought it would be a mistake to bonus the road between Vancouver and New Westminster, when there would soon be another connecting road and possibly two, without any bonus.

Mr. Ellison said if the principle was carried out, they had no right to subsidize a railway which ran parallel with a navigable river. He thought the government would do better to subsidize roads in other parts of the country, where there were no navigable streams.

Mr. Hall suggested that the portion of the road on Vancouver Island should also be withdrawn from receiving a subsidy.

The motion, as amended, was carried.

Mr. Helmcken secured the adoption of a provision that no portion of the said grant for the construction of the sections of the said railway shall be paid until at least twenty miles of the railway from Hope eastward shall have been constructed, and a certificate therefore shall have been given by the engineer of the government."

Messrs. Oliver and McBride moved somewhat similar amendments, which were defeated. Mr. McBride's amendment proposed that no bonus should be paid until the completion of Vancouver-New Westminster and the Mountain sections.

Mr. Curtis supported Mr. McBride's motion and declared the government were attempting to bonus the C. P. R. to build a road to Spence's Bridge.

Hon. Mr. Eberts ridiculed Mr. Curtis' argument and referred to the bill for its refutation. The bill expressly provided that the road should be built from the Coast to Hope and from Hope to Alison before any subsidy should be paid. He strongly deprecated the action of hon. members opposite in making reckless charges and insinuations against the government, and accusing gentlemen who were at least trying to be sincere and honest. It was, he assured the House, the earnest desire and intention of the government to have the Coast-Kootenay railway through the Hope mountains and they should be given credit for sincerity.

Mr. Curtis proposed to restrict the right of way to 200 feet instead of 200 in width, which was defeated.

The committee rose and reported progress and the House adjourned at 12:30 a.m., until 2 this p.m.

SELECT COMMITTEE.

The select committee appointed to secure evidence re Columbia & Western land subsidy, met in the Cedar committee room at 8:30 p.m., and heard the evidence of Mr. F. Carter-Cotton, ex-minister of finance. It is understood that the committee will report to the House this afternoon.

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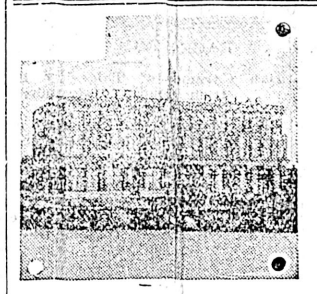
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